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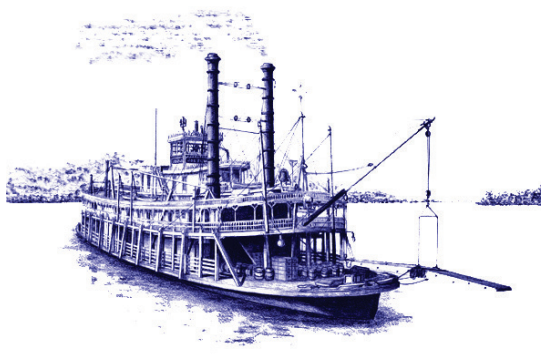

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# VMI: Inkeeper's tax collected record $639,904 in 2022

**BY BOB DEMAREE**

Jefferson County's inkeeper's tax collected $639,904.11 in 2022 — a second consecutive record-setting year — which Visit Madison Inc. Executive Director Andrew Forrester noted reflects well on the community's tourism industry and the businesses and organizations that support it.

"It's really stunning," said Forrester, reporting to the VMI board of directors on Monday. "It's due to the efforts" of Sarah Prasil as VMI's executive marketing director. "It shows the hard work and effort that she's put in, that JCBT has put in through their investment, what the city and county has done to invest in our tourism" along with all the events, business owners, nonprofits and community that have all stepped up to welcome guests.

Innkeeper tax collections in 2022 were 19% higher that the previous record of $537,606.18 in 2021, which was a comeback after COVID-19 forced cancellation of all festivals in 2020 resulting in collections totaling just $310,685.14 that year. Before COVID-19, the county's best innkeeper tax collection year was $425,682.31 in 2019.

Forrester is optimistic for the future but isn't expecting innkeeper tax collections to continue to grow at the same pace as the last two years.

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# NAS $244M expansion to add 70 jobs

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An aerial photo of the sprawling North American Stainless plant site along the Ohio River just west of Ghent, Kentucky, on U.S. 42.

## $3 billion mill already employs more than 1,500

**BY PAXTON MEDIA GROUP**

A $244 million expansion that will add 70 new jobs at Carroll County's massive North American Stainless (NAS) steel mill was announced Thursday.

The plant, located along the Ohio River on U.S. 42 in Ghent, Kentucky, will expand its 4.4 million-square-foot facility that already employs nearly 1,600 workers and 500 on-site service providers from a wide region in Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio. The expansion will increase the mill's total capacity by 200,000 tons annually — a 20% growth — meeting customers' increasing demand for top-of-the-line stainless products.

The project consists of a new cold rolling mill, new roll grinders, extensive upgrades of anneal and pickling lines to support the new rolling mill, a new temper mill and an expansion of the melt shop building to add a 400 metric ton crane.

"We are proud to lead America's stainless steel economy,

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# Jefferson jury convicts man from Carrollton on drug charges

**BY THE COURIER STAFF**

A Jefferson County Circuit Court jury convicted a Carrollton, Kentucky, man on multiple felony drug charges Wednesday after deliberating for two hours.

**Ethan A. Coots**

Ethan A. Coots, 25, who was from Louisville at the time of his arrest, was found guilty on all charges including Dealing in Methamphetamine, a Level 2 felony; Possession of Methamphetamine (more than 28 grams), a Level 3 felony; Possession of a Controlled Substance, a Class A misdemeanor; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor.

The case stems from a traffic stop conducted on March 13, 2022, by Madison Police Department Patrolman Cameron Blankenship in the 900 block of Jefferson Street in downtown Madison. Blankenship was following a GMC Envoy with an illegible temporary license plate that had been involved in a controlled narcotics purchase several weeks earlier when the SUV increased speed and swerved across the centerline.

Blankenship stopped the vehicle and MPD Patrolman Chad Wehner and Captain Dan Slygh arrived on scene to assist with the investigation. During a search of the vehicle, officers found more than 45 grams of methamphetamine along with numerous items of drug paraphernalia. Blankenship noted in his report that a typical amount of methamphetamine found on a "user" ranges from .25 to 3.25 grams. Officers also found prescription pills and a small amount of methamphetamine on Coots.

"This arrest took a major amount of drugs off our streets," said Jefferson County Prosecutor David Sutter. "Inside the vehicle Coots was driving, police discovered over 46 grams of methamphetamine. That's enough to supply a single user for well over half a year and indicates Mr. Coots

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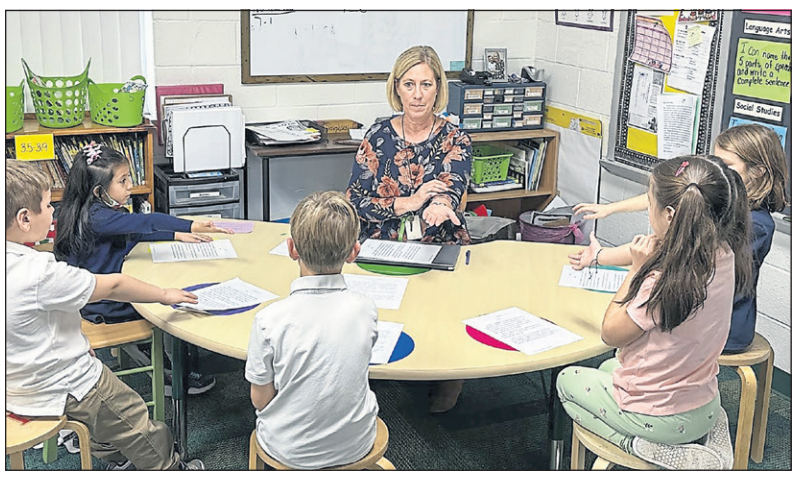

**Local educator Tammy Josephsen working with a group of her students at Pope John Elementary. Earlier this month, the 30-year veteran received statewide recognition by becoming one of three winners of the Reading League of Indiana's inaugural Reading Star Award to honor educators for the initiative and leadership of the science of reading in Indiana.**

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# Pope John's Josephsen a leader in adoption of 'science of reading'

**BY BOB DEMAREE**

Tammy Josephsen has been teaching elementary students for 30 years and a couple of years ago thought she was about ready to retire but the "science of reading" changed all of that, and it's making an impact on the students at Pope John Elementary School.

Earlier this month, Josephsen received statewide recognition by becoming one of three winners of the Reading League of Indiana's inaugural Reading Star Award that honors educators for the initiative and leadership of the science of reading in Indiana.

The science of reading relies on scientifically-based research about reading with the foundations being phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary and comprehension.

Pope John Principal Bethany Fewell explained that in recent years reading instruction "has been led astray by initiatives that were not data driven. The way we have chosen to teach reading has not always been data driven or correct. And that's where science of reading has taken off, using the actual science to prove what should be done to help students learn. Big businesses selling a product is not helping our kids."

After seeing the success of the science of reading in other places around the United States, Fewell said Pope John began to work towards implementing that in 2019, but it's taken some time.

"Most of us have not been trained in the science of reading," said Josephsen, which

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# JCHS locked down after alleged bomb threat

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Officers with the North Vernon Police Department responded to an alleged bomb threat at Jennings County High School on Thursday afternoon.

According to a release issued by NVPD, a JCHS student in the school cafeteria received an air drop on his iPhone from another iPhone called "There's a bomb at JCHS" at 12:11 p.m. on Thursday. Upon opening the air drop message, it was a photograph of a male and female sitting on a couch.

The student reported the message to JCHS staff at 12:20 p.m. and a School Resource Officer with NVPD. At that time the schools were placed on a lockdown, the cafeteria was immediately cleared by the SRO and school staff and students and staff were evacuated from the high school and escorted to the Jennings County Middle School building.

Meanwhile, a Homeland Security K9 unit was called to the high school to search the building for explosives joined by officers from the Jennings County Sheriff's Department and Indiana State Police. No explosives, guns, or other weapons were located within the building and the high school was cleared.

A short time later, a second air drop was sent out inside the Jennings County Middle School of a photograph of a gun. The middle school was then searched at that time and no guns, explosives, or other weapons were located in that building. Further investigation revealed that the photo of the gun was taken on Jan. 1 at a location not on school property.

With both JCHS and JCMS determined to be safe, the high school students were released and escorted back to the their building. Students were eventually released to their parents or to their buses to be transported home on their regular release schedule.

A NVPD investigation into the incident is ongoing, and further information may be released at a later date.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

#### FOOD GIVEAWAY

North Madison Christian Church
1400 East State Road 62
8-10 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 28

The church food pantry will hold a distribution from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 28, at the church, 1400 East State Road 62.

No qualifications required. For more information, call 812-273-1601.

#### SALVATION ARMY FOOD BANK

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays
Noon to 1 p.m.
331 East Main St., Madison

A food giveaway at the red door on east side of building. Bring your own bags. For more information, call 812-265-2157.

#### HOUSE OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY

100 East Second St., Madison
Tuesdays — 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Fridays — 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

A food giveaway and distribution at the Jefferson County House of Hope Food Pantry in downtown Madison. Please arrive at the pantry 15 minutes prior to closing to be served.

### CLOTHING DISTRIBUTIONS

#### JESUS CLOTHES CLOSET

Trinity Methodist Church, Madison
Mondays — 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Jesus Clothes Closet at Trinity Methodist Church, 412 W. Main St., will distribute free clothing for those in need each Monday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. For more information call 812-866-4843.

### SPECIAL EVENTS

#### 2023 Winter Field Day

at Clifty Falls State Park — North Entrance
Saturday, Jan. 28 — 1 p.m.

The Clifty Amateur Radio Society, Ivy Tech Community College Amateur Radio Club, and the Royal Rangers Amateur Radio Club will participate in the 2023 Winter Field Day with operating positions located at the north end of Clifty Falls State Park near the Clifty Shelter. Public is invited and there is currently no park fee. Dress for the weather conditions, bring chairs, a warm drink and watch and listen to local ham radio operators in action.

### SENIOR EVENTS

#### Madison Senior Citizens Center

208 West Main Street
Game Days

The Madison Senior Citizens Center hosts weekly card days and Bingo at the Senior Citizens Center in downtown Madison. The schedule includes Eucher on Mondays and Thursdays from noon until 10 games are completed and Bingo on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The events are free and open to senior citizens.

#### Senior Dance

Brown Gym
Friday, Feb. 4

Smokin' Cinders will perform at the Friday, Feb. 4 Community Dance for adults and senior citizens at the Brown Gym from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Admission is $6. Old goats and a Nanny will play Feb. 11.

#### Hanover Senior Citizens Program

Hanover Community Center at Hanover Park
Exercising

The Hanover Senior Citizens Program is offering free exercising at Hanover Community Center on Mondays and Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Lunch

The Hanover Senior Citizens Program is serving lunch at noon on Wednesdays and Fridays at the Community Center. Cost is $5 and RSVP is required by calling 812-498-2894.

## NEWS OF RECORD

### JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

#### LODGINGS

**Jan. 24, 2023**

Warren Eugene Brooks, 41, Madison, on a Level 6 felony Parole Warrant. No bond.

Joshua Lee Johnson, 37, Hanover, for Possession of a Legend Drug or Precursor, Maintaining a Common Nuisance-Controlled Substances and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, all Level 6 felonies and on a hold for the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office. No bond

Amber Nichole Reffett, 30, Austin, Indiana, on two Jefferson County arrest warrants. Bond $5,000 cash.

**Jan. 25, 2023**

Ethan A. Coots, 25, Carrollton, remanded to jail to await court sentencing on jury trial drug conviction and for Probation Violation. No bond.

Dalton Ray Durbin, 21, Madison, on a Jefferson County warrant for Failure to Appear. Bond $5,000 cash.

Aaron Jasper Lewis, 38, Madison, for Communication Intimidation and Criminal Recklessness, both Level 6 felonies. No bond.

Paige Ann Nacole Melton, 23, Hanover, for Robbery, a Level 2 felony and Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of a Syringe, both Level 6 felonies. No bond.

**Jan. 26, 2023**

Thomas L. Adams, 51, Madison, for Possession of Paraphernalia and Driving While Suspended-Prior Suspension Within 10 Years, both Class A misdemeanors. No bond.

Jason Ray Boswell, 29, Edinburgh, Indiana, for Possession of Methamphetamine and Maintaining a Common Nuisance, both Level 6 felonies; and Criminal Trespassing and Possession of Paraphernalia, both Class A misdemeanors. Bond $1,000 cash.

Kerry Lee Coots, 38, Madison, on a Jefferson County bench warrant (felony kidnapping, armed robbery and battery with a weapon). No bond.

### JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

#### SENTENCINGS

**Jan. 24, 2023**

Steven Douglas Hemingway, 31, Madison, Intimidation-Threatening Witness and Escape, both Level 6 felonies Sentenced to 360 days at Indiana Department of Correction for Intimidation and 540 days at IDOC for Escape, concurrent and fully executed, with credit for 354 days served plus $285 in fees and court costs and $700 in restitution to community corrections.

Joshua Dane Gordon, 43, Warsaw, Kentucky, for amended charge of Operating a Vehicle After Forfeiture of License as Habitual Traffic Offender, a Level 5 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 6 days served and balance suspended for 534 days supervised probation plus $510.50 in fees and court costs.

Tresha Wright, 55, Dupont, Indiana, for amended charge of Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony; and Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction on methamphetamine charge consecutive to 365 days jail on the resisting charge, suspended to supervised probation, plus a total of $1,151 in fees and court costs,

Amy Jo Logsdon, 42, Madison, for Leaving the Scene of an Accident, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for zero days served and 180 days suspended for supervised probation plus $350.50 in fees and court costs and $700 restitution to Jaxx Falconberry.

Adam L. Whitehead, 23, Madison, for Theft-Prior Conviction, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for zero days served and 540 days suspended for probation plus $510 in fees and court costs.

Melissa A. Toth, Petersburg, Illinois, for Neglect of a Dependent-Endangerment, a Level 6 felony with judgment of conviction as a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 90 days jail with credit for 2 days served and 88 days suspended for probation plus $285 in fees and court costs.

**Jan. 25, 2023**

Willie Basil Newman, 42, Hanover, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 540 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for zero days served and balance of 540 days suspended for supervised probation consecutive to 180 days jail for Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor, with credit for 110 days served for a total of 699 days supervised probation plus plus $1,145 in fees and court costs and restitution in an amount to be determined to Craig Toyota.

Eddie Terrel Gray Jr., 48, Madison, for Theft-Prior Conviction, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 154 days served plus $285 in fees and court costs.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

#### JEFFERSON COUNTY

**Jan. 24, 2023**

Nomad Investments LLC to Joseph Kyle Branco and Aimee Branco, 1.109 acres at 4481 North State Road 62, Madison.

Joseph Kyle Branco and Aimee Branco to Nomad Investments LLC, 4.040 acres at 4512 North State Road 62, Madison.

Patricia A. Speer and Sharon L. Craft to Zachariah T. LaCroix, 6815 West O'Neal Avenue, Dupont, Indiana.

Robert E. Page, Theodore E. Page, William E. Page and Ricky J. Page to Bonnie Cox, 10682 West State Road 256, Lexington, Indiana.

Jerry Lee Harris and Eva Wiley Harris to Jerry Lee Harris and Jeremy Harris, 2340 North Borcherding Road, Madison.

RBG Enterprises LLC and Boing US Holdco Inc., 1.311 acres at 200 Clifty Drive.

Jeffery Everage to Stephanie Kietzman, 1801 Crozier Avenue, Madison.

## VMI

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"I'm excited about 2023 as far as innkeeper tax but I'm trying to temper that. I don't think we'll have another record year in 2023. It's just hard to keep that kind of growth going," Forrester said. "It's certainly possible but my expectation is that this will be a leveling off. I don't think it will go down" but he doesn't expect as big of an increase in the innkeepers tax collections. "I think maybe we'll get back to a steady growth instead of the rocket ship we've been on."

The best month for innkeeper collections in 2022 was November with $73,277.23, which was the second best-ever month for innkeeper collections and bettered only by November 2021 when collections were $77,243.78.

There were five months last year when collections were more than $60,000 — $67,276.10 in July, $65,887.52 in August, $65,086.78 in October, $61,420.23 in September and $60,693.24 in June. Every month in 2022 was higher than the corresponding month in 2021 except for November and December.

In other business:

- Approved a policy statement for festivals and events in which VMI has partnerships such Ribberfest BBQ and Blues, Madison Chautauqua and Nights Before Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes. The statement notes that VMI has fiscal responsibility for audits of events and that VMI will work with all event volunteers and board member for the betterment of the events.
- Forrester reported VMI plans to send representatives to the Heartland Travel Showcase in an effort to encourage bus tour operators to include Madison among their travel plans. During COVID-19, there was significant decline in bus tours but Forrester said there's anticipation that the industry will bounce back in 2024. Prasil said there were 34 bus tours to Madison in 2019 but when COVID hit that dropped to four in 2020 and eight in 2021. Last year there was an increase to 13 bus tours in Madison. "It's coming back, and that's what the industry is saying too," Forrester said.
- Forrester noted that VMI recently purchased two new iPads and a television with points from the organization's credit card "so it wasn't any money out of our pocket." He said the devices will work well with welcoming plans for American Queen Voyages, which the city recently entered into a five-year docking agreement. He said one of the ways the iPads will be used is to take photos as people come off the boats that visit Madison. "When people get off the steamboats, we take their picture, they get a picture in a frame that says Madison, Indiana, texted immediately to their phone, and they can post it on social media."

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## LOTTERY

**INDIANA**
**Hoosier Lotto:** 3-8-14-34-42-43 (1/25). Next Estimated Jackpot: $8.8 million. Next Drawing (1/28).
**Daily 3:** 6-9-6 SB: 8
**Daily 4:** 4-5-1-7 SB: 8
**Cash Five:** 25-26-27-34-45 (1/26)
**Cash 4 Life:** 2-8-27-44-57 CB: 2 (1/26)

**KENTUCKY**
**Pick 3:** 5-6-0
**Pick 4:** 4-6-7-1
**Cash Ball:** 1-5-6-32 CB: 11 (1/26)
**Kentucky 5 Extra:** 1-7-17-20-35 (1/26)
**Lucky For Life:** 15-17-26-29-35 LB: 9 (1/26)

**MEGAMILLIONS**
**33-41-47-50-62 MB:** 20, MP x4 (1/24). One ticket sold in Massachusetts for Tuesday's $31 million jackpot. Next Jackpot: $20 million. Next Drawing (1/27)

**POWERBALL**
**9-17-20-38-40 PB:** 18, PP: 2 (1/25). Next Estimated Jackpot: $572 million. Next Drawing (1/28)
**POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY:** 15-32-35-42-47 PB: 23 (1/25). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (1/28)

## BIRTHDAYS

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

**JANUARY 28**
• John Hossler

**JANUARY 29**
• Teresa Kelley

**FEBRUARY 1**
• Courtney Leon

**FEBRUARY 4**
• Stephen Manaugh
• Bryan Sego

**FEBRUARY 5**
• Delores Hellman — 100

## JURY

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planned to profit from dividing and selling the drug."

The trial began with jury selection on Monday, testimony on Tuesday and Wednesday and closing arguments and deliberations Wednesday afternoon.

"This was an important case that was made possible by excellent police work," said Sutter. "The prosecutor's office will continue to work closely with local law enforcement to keep our community and its residents safe."

Sutter credited Deputy Prosecutors Mary Jean Stotts and Emily Schebler for successfully presenting the case.

"I also want to thank Madison Police Department officers Cameron Blankenship and Chad Wehner for their handling of this case. What started as a traffic stop resulted in high level felony charges and took a significant amount of drugs out of circulation."

Coots, who had been free on a $10,000 cash bond since April 2022, was remanded to custody after the verdict and is now lodged in the Jefferson County Jail awaiting sentencing at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 23. Coots faces up to 30 years prison on the Level 2 felony and up to 20 years on the Level 3 felony.

A second man, Michael Sanchez Edmondson, 38, Louisville, was a passenger in Coots' vehicle, and is facing charges of Dealing in Methamphetamine, a Level 2 felony; Possession of Methamphetamine (more than 28 grams), a Level 3 felony; and Possession of Marijuana, and Possession of Paraphernalia, both Class A misdemeanors. A pretrial conference is scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 1.

## WEATHER

**Sunrise:** 7:49 a.m.
**Sunset:** 5:597 p.m.
**Temperature:** High 47, Low 23, Mean 35.0, Excess 4.8
**Precipitation since last published:** .89
**Precipitation, January 2023:** 5.01
**Precipitation, 2023:** 5.01
**Barometer:** 30.03, Rising
**River Level at Clifty Creek:** 428.1, Falling
**Forecast:** Sunday: Showers High 46/Low 36; Monday: Rain/Snow showers High 39/Low 22; Tuesday: Mostly cloudy High 32/Low 22.

# OBITUARIES

## Susan Voris

Susan Gayle Voris, 48, of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, at Norton King's Daughters' Health in Madison.

She was born on May 19, 1974, in Madison, to James P. Voris Jr. and Lillian Maxine Nugent Voris. She was a lifelong resident of Madison and attended Madison Consolidated High School. She worked at Mr. Gatti's Pizza early in life before making the transition to retail management. She then managed Boulder Shell for 10 years before it closed and Family Dollar for another 10 years. She had a son and later parented another son with her life partner. She enjoyed television — especially horror movies — UK basketball and more recently wrestling. She also liked assembling model cars and meticulously caring for her lawn.

Survivors include her partner of 25 years, Terrie Lewis of Madison; her sons, Jeffrey Adams of Madison and Nicholas Bragg of Lexington; her sister, Jamie Grigsby of Madison; her grandchildren, Weston Bragg, Kinsley Bragg and Briella Adams; and a nephew and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 30, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens near Madison. Visitation is 11 a.m. until the time of service on Monday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Susan Voris Remembrance Fund through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

## Griselda Nava-Lopez

Griselda Nava-Lopez, 44, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Saturday, Jan. 21, 2023, at St. Elizabeth Hospice.

She was born on April 17, 1978, in Mexico, to Raul Nava Perez and and Yolanda Lopez Rubi.

Survivors include her parents; her husband, Javier Cruz Esquivel; two sons, Erick Ivan Nava and Javier A. Cruz-Nava Jr.; a daughter, Gabriela J. Cruz-Nava; two brothers, Victor Hugo Nava-Lopez and Daniel Nava-Lopez; and two sisters, Minerva Nava-Lopez and Gabriela Nava-Lopez.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 1, at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Carrollton. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday at Graham-Dunn Funeral Home in Carrollton and 11 a.m. until the time of service Wednesday at the church.

Online condolences, www.grahamdunnfh.com.

## Martha Stearns

Martha Hall Stearns, 82, of Versailles, Indiana, died Friday, Jan. 27, 2023, at Margaret Mary Community Hospital in Batesville, Indiana.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover, www.morgan-nay.com.

## Nona Adams

Nona Grigsby Adams, 92, of Fairview, Indiana, died Thursday, Jan. 26, 2023, at The Waters of Clifty Falls in Madison, Indiana.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, Indiana, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

## Larry Denning

Larry Alan Denning, 65, of Bedford, Kentucky and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2023, at his home in Bedford.

He was born on Aug. 28, 1957, in Madison, to Alfred E. and Mavis Marie Clements Denning. He was raised in Madison and graduated from Madison Consolidated High School in 1975. He was first was employed for Ford Motor Company at the Kentucky Truck Plant in Louisville for 10 years. He then began a career at Dow Chemical as a down packer for more than 10 years. He married Barbara Ann Doss in 1988 and they had triplet sons. He later remarried and had a daughter. He loved watching NASCAR and was proud of his 1999 Ford Mustang Cobra.

Survivors include his sons, Jonathan Denning of Carrollton, Kentucky, Steven Denning of Bedford and Brandon Denning of Berea, Kentucky; five brothers, Alfred "Lee" Denning, Kenneth Denning and Randy Denning, all of Madison, Charles Denning of Shelbyville, Indiana and Richard Denning of Bloomington, Indiana; four sisters, Alfreda Center and Bonnie Johnson, both of Madison, Evelyn "Sue" Rowlett of Canaan, Indiana and Marcella Stackhouse of Dupont, Indiana; and five grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, James Edward Denning on Jan. 9, 1993 and Ernest O. Denning on Dec. 26, 2007; two sisters, Dorothy J. Denning Garriott on Feb. 1, 1977 and Caroline R. Denning Bennett on June 26, 2015.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 29, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Doss Family Cemetery in Lockport, Kentucky. Visitation is 11 a.m. until time of service on Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Larry Denning Remembrance Fund through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

## Jill Davenport

Jill A. Davenport, 54, of Milton, Kentucky, died Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, at her residence in Milton.

She was born on Aug. 21, 1968, in Shelbyville, Indiana, to Billy L. and Frieda McHaffey Edwards. She was a 1986 graduate of Bloomington North High School and earned her bachelor's in psychology from Indiana University. She married Eugene Franklin "Gene" Davenport on July 1, 2009, in Brownstown, Indiana. She was the owner of Shelter Insurance in Seymour, Indiana. In her spare time, she enjoyed boating, traveling, hiking, and was the life of the party.

Survivors include her children, Tyler Semenuk of Milton, and Amanda Troville of Forestville, New York; her sister, Candy Mahin of Shelbyville; and her brothers, Tim Edwards of Shelbyville and Steve Edwards of Bloomington.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her second husband, Gene Davenport, and her first husband, David Semenuk.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 31, at Lytle Welty Funeral Home and Cremation Service, Vail Chapel, on Madison's hilltop with interment to follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 11 a.m. until the time of services on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Susan B. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.lytlewelty.com.

## Raymond McFadden

Raymond D. McFadden, 82, of Vevay, Indiana and formerly of Anderson, Indiana, died Sunday, Jan. 22, 2023, at Norton King's Daughters' Health in Madison, Indiana.

He was born on June 1, 1940, in Anderson, to Clarence and Dorothy Lietcher McFadden. He retired as a firefighter for the Anderson Fire Department after 30 years of service. In his spare time, he enjoyed golfing and playing table shuffleboard. He was a former member of the Major Samuel Woodfill American Legion Post 9 in Madison and in Patriot, and AMVETS.

Survivors include two sons, Jeffrey McFadden and Gregory McFadden,both of Anderson; five grandchildren, Justin McFadden, Brittney Ehinola, Landon Hoppes, Jerry Stewart and Katie Hoppes; and several great children.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a daughter, Michelle Hoppes.

Per his wishes there will be no services. Arrangements entrusted to Lytle Welty Funeral Home & Cremation Service, Vail Chapel, in Madison.

Online condolences, www.lytlewelty.com.

## Eva Handlon

Eva L. Mahoney Handlon, 82, of Milton, Kentucky, died Thursday, Jan. 26, 2022, at the Waters of Clifty Falls in Madison, Indiana.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ransdell Funeral Home in Bedford, Kentucky, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

## Butch Scott

Raymond Kenneth "Butch" Scott, 83, of Vevay, Indiana, died Friday, Jan. 27, 2023, at his residence.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

**Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of**
**Mr. Larry Alan Denning**

Mr. Larry Alan Denning, age 65, of Bedford, Kentucky formerly of Madison, entered this life on August 28, 1957 in Madison, Indiana. He was the loving son of Alfred E. and Mavis Marie Clements Denning. Larry was raised in Madison and graduated from Madison Consolidated High School in 1975. Larry first was employed for Ford Motor Company at the truck plant in Louisville for 10 years. In 1988, Larry was united in marriage to Barbara Ann Doss and this union was blessed with triplet sons, Brandon, Steven, and Jonathan. He then began his career at Dow Chemical as a down packer for over ten years. Larry was later united in marriage to Tonya and he was blessed with a daughter, Sierra. Larry loved watching NASCAR. He was proud to own his 1999 Ford Mustang Cobra. He was a loving dad, papaw, brother, and friend. Larry died on Tuesday, January 24, 2023, at 1:40 p.m. at his home in Bedford, Kentucky.

**A LOVING FAMILY**

Larry will be missed by his loving sons, Jonathan Denning and his companion Chasity Burgin of Carrollton, Kentucky, Steven Denning and his companion Heather Westover of Bedford, Kentucky, and Brandon Denning and his wife Kodi of Berea, Kentucky; his grandchildren, Heaven Denning, Hudson Denning, Megan Denning, Emmitt Denning, and Aria Mullins Denning; his brothers, Alfred "Lee" Denning and his wife Laura of Madison, Indiana, Kenneth Denning of Madison, Indiana, Charles Denning and his wife Dee of Shelbyville, Indiana, Richard Denning of Bloomington, Indiana, and Randy Denning of Madison, Indiana; his sisters, Alfreda Center of Madison, Indiana, Evelyn "Sue" Rowlett and her husband Cecil of Canaan, Indiana, Bonnie Johnson and her husband Ralph of Madison, Indiana, and Marcella Stackhouse of Dupont, Indiana; his sister in law, Linda Denning of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Alfred E. Denning, died October 24, 1993, his mother, Mavis Marie Clements Denning, died January 6, 1977, his brother, James Edward Denning, died January 9, 1993, his brother, Ernest O. Denning, died December 26, 2007, his sister, Dorothy J. Denning Garriott, died February 1, 1977, his sister, Caroline R. Denning Bennett, died June 26, 2015, and his brother in law, Robert Stackhouse, died July 6, 2022.

**FUNERAL CEREMONY**

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday, January 29, 2023, at 2:00 p.m., by Cecil Rowlett at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Doss Family Cemetery, Lockport, Kentucky

**VISITATION**

Friends may call Sunday from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, Indiana.

**MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS**

Memorial contributions may be made to Larry Denning Remembrance Fund. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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# Domestic disturbance leads to gun charge

**BY THE COURIER STAFF**

Local police arrested a Madison man on Wednesday, Jan. 25, after a domestic disturbance in the River Pointe Shopping Center on Madison's hilltop escalated to the point that a weapon was allegedly drawn.

Adam Jasper Lewis

**MPD Senior Patrolman Adam Guzman located the vehicle on Michigan Road near Virginia Avenue and conducted a traffic stop.**

Madison Police responded to the shopping center regarding a domestic disturbance involving a couple in a pickup truck in the parking lot. While en route, the disturbance allegedly escalated and the male subject reportedly brandished a rifle and pointed it at the female.

The pickup truck left the scene prior to officers' arrival with both the male and female inside. MPD Senior Patrolman Adam Guzman located the vehicle on Michigan Road near Virginia Avenue and conducted a traffic stop. During that stop officers secured the occupants without incident and a rifle was located in the truck and seized.

A followup investigation led to the arrest of Aaron Jasper Lewis, 38, Madison, on charges of Intimidation with a Deadly Weapon, a Level 5 felony, and Criminal Recklessness with a Deadly Weapon, a Level 6 felony. Lewis was lodged in the Jefferson County Jail without bond.

Guzman was assisted by MPD Captain Rick Mundt and Officers Graham Heffelfinger, Kayla Taylor-Moore and Jordan Perry.

**The family of Nettie Coy would like to thank everyone who came to see her at the visitation and funeral service. We'd also like to thank those who cared for her at Norton's King's Daughters' Health, the nurses and doctors. Those at River Terrace and those who came to her home from St. Elizabeth Healthcare Hospice of Northern Ky. Also the Lytle Welty Funeral Home for their kindness and support.**


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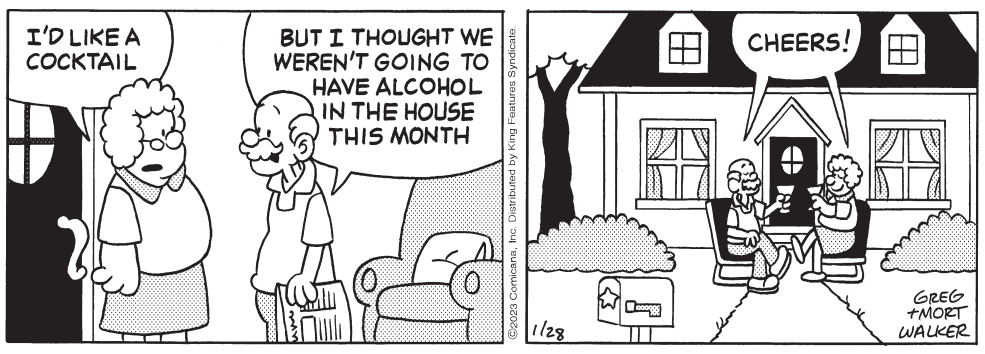
I'D LIKE A COCKTAIL
BUT I THOUGHT WE WEREN'T GOING TO HAVE ALCOHOL IN THE HOUSE THIS MONTH
CHEERS!
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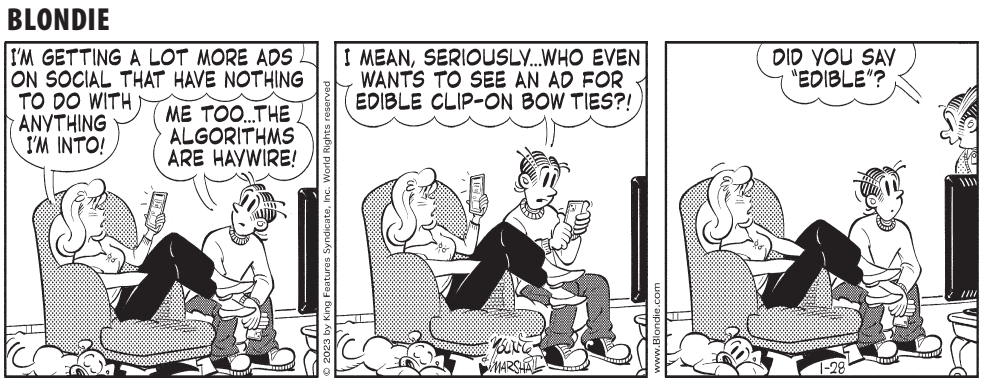
I'M GETTING A LOT MORE ADS ON SOCIAL THAT HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH ANYTHING I'M INTO!
ME TOO...THE ALGORITHMS ARE HAYWIRE!
I MEAN, SERIOUSLY...WHO EVEN WANTS TO SEE AN AD FOR EDIBLE CLIP-ON BOW TIES?!
DID YOU SAY "EDIBLE"?
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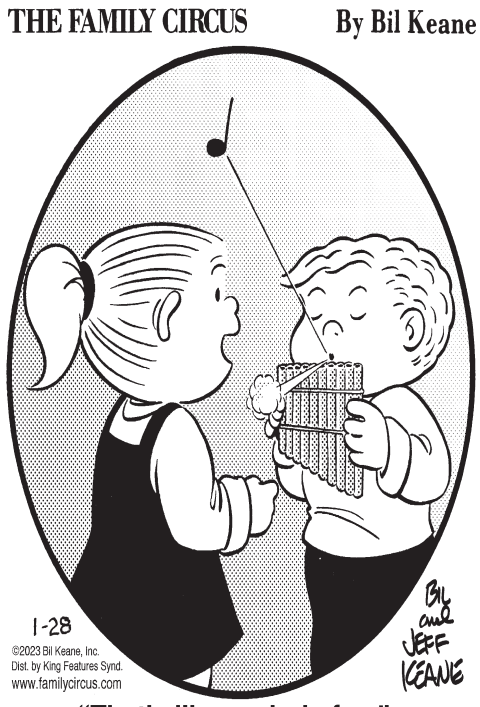
## THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane

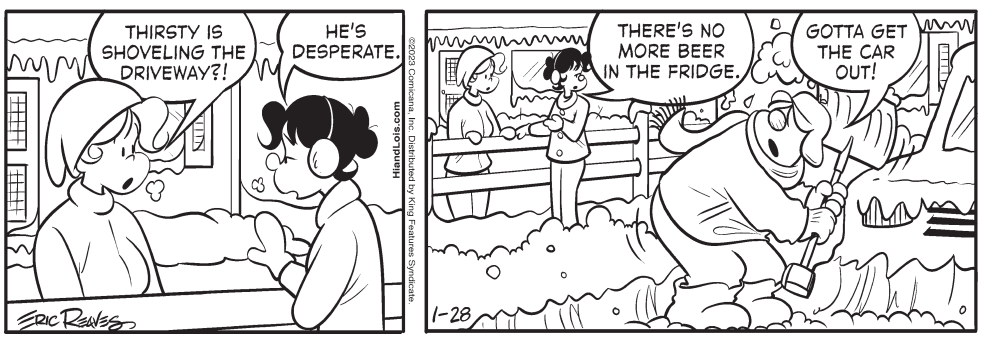



"That's like a whole family of whistles."

## DENNIS THE MENACE

"DON'T WORRY, YOU WON'T MELT LIKE YOUR BROTHER 'CAUSE WE'RE BUILDING YOU IN THE SHADE."

## HI & LOIS

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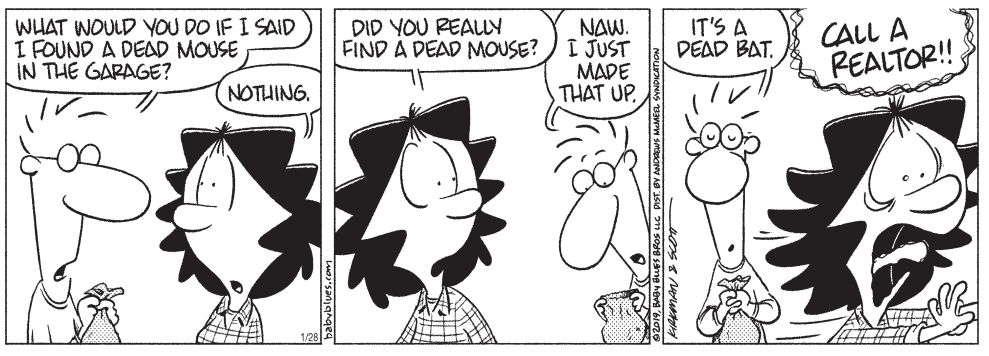
WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF I SAID I FOUND A DEAD MOUSE IN THE GARAGE?
NOTHING.
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DID YOU REALLY FIND A DEAD MOUSE?
NAW. I JUST MADE THAT UP.
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IT'S A DEAD BAT.
CALL A REALTOR!!
KIRKMAN & SCOTT

## BC

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AND I'LL SHOW YOU A MAN WHO FEARS THE WURST.
SHOW ME
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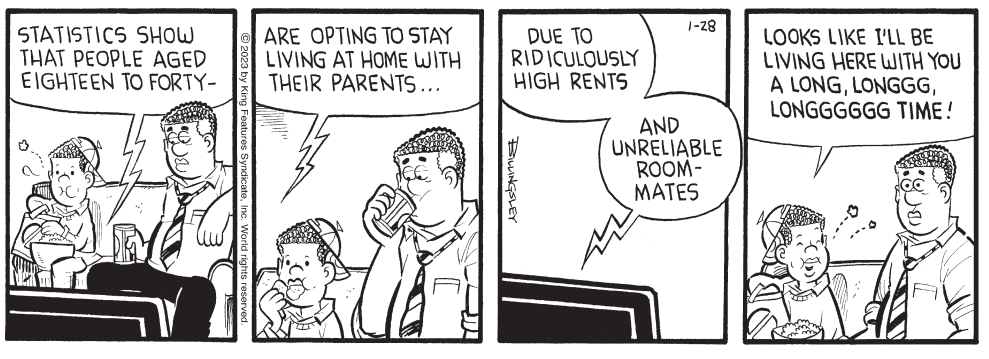
STATISTICS SHOW THAT PEOPLE AGED EIGHTEEN TO FORTY-
ARE OPTING TO STAY LIVING AT HOME WITH THEIR PARENTS...
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DUE TO RIDICULOUSLY HIGH RENTS
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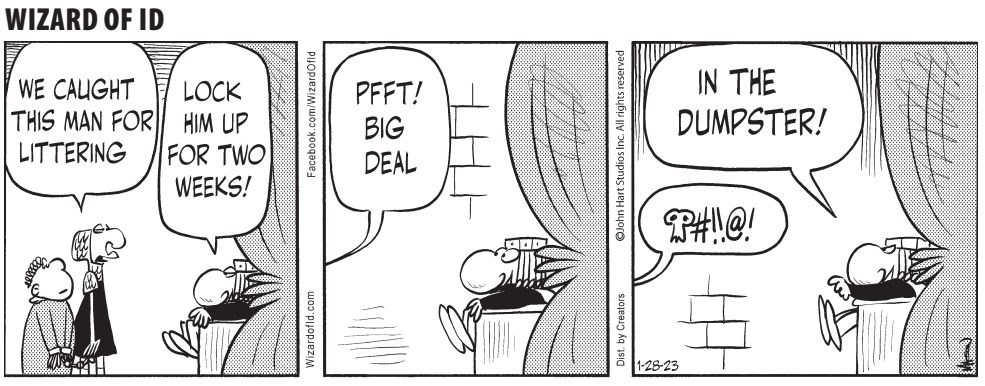
AND UNRELIABLE ROOM-MATES
LOOKS LIKE I'LL BE LIVING HERE WITH YOU A LONG, LONGGG, LONGGGGGG TIME!

## WIZARD OF ID

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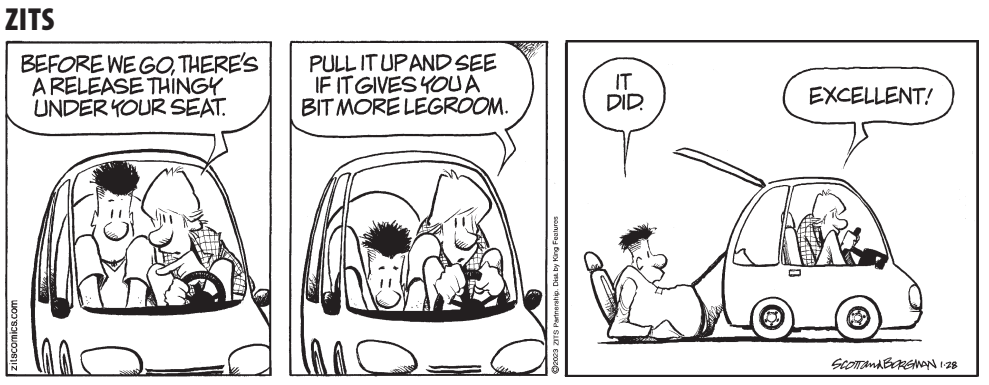
BEFORE WE GO, THERE'S A RELEASE THINGY UNDER YOUR SEAT.
PULL IT UP AND SEE IF IT GIVES YOU A BIT MORE LEGROOM.
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IT DID.
EXCELLENT!
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## DILBERT

RELATIONSHIPS WORK WHEN MEN GIVE WOMEN WHAT WOMEN WANT...
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...AND WOMEN GIVE MEN NOTHING IN RETURN.
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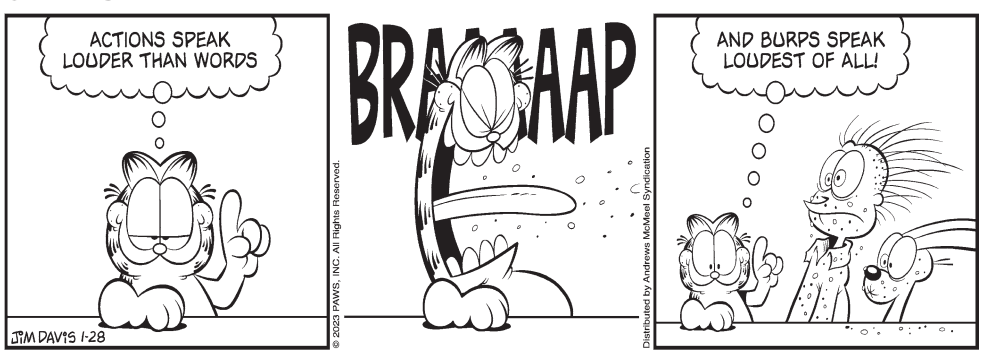
WHY DO MEN ACCEPT THAT?
THE TRICK IS TO MAKE THEM THINK IT'S TEMP-ORARY.

## GARFIELD


ACTIONS SPEAK LOUDER THAN WORDS
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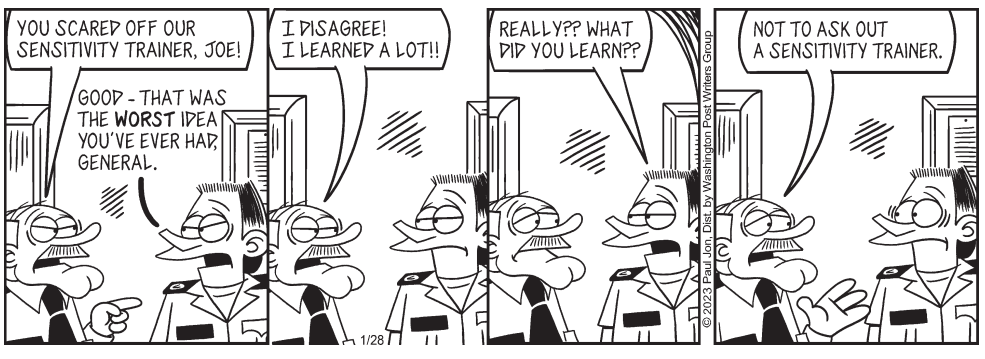
AND BURPS SPEAK LOUDEST OF ALL!

## FORT KNOX


YOU SCARED OFF OUR SENSITIVITY TRAINER, JOE!
GOOD - THAT WAS THE WORST IDEA YOU'VE EVER HAD, GENERAL.
I DISAGREE! I LEARNED A LOT!!
REALLY?? WHAT DID YOU LEARN??
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NOT TO ASK OUT A SENSITIVITY TRAINER.
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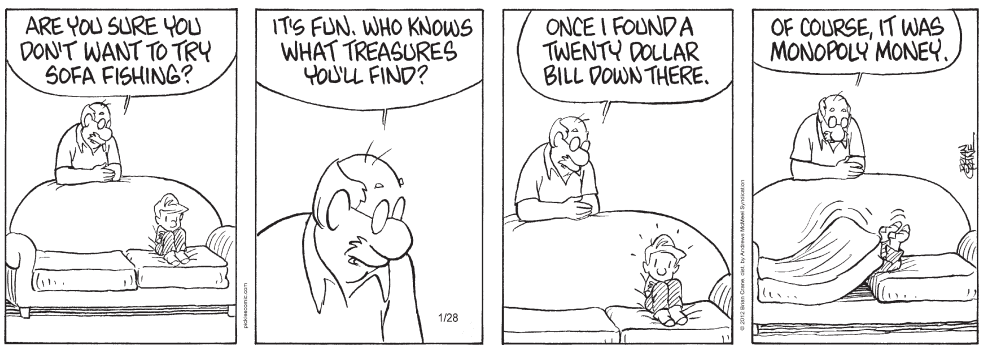
## PICKLES


ARE YOU SURE YOU DON'T WANT TO TRY SOFA FISHING?
IT'S FUN. WHO KNOWS WHAT TREASURES YOU'LL FIND?
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ONCE I FOUND A TWENTY DOLLAR BILL DOWN THERE.
OF COURSE, IT WAS MONOPOLY MONEY.

## TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Saturday, Jan. 28, the 28th day of 2023. There are 337 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**

**On Jan. 28,** 1973, a cease-fire officially went into effect in the Vietnam War, a day after the signing of the Paris Peace Accords by the United States, North Vietnam and South Vietnam.

**On this date:**

**In 1547,** England's King Henry VIII died; he was succeeded by his 9-year-old son, Edward VI.

**In 1813,** the novel "Pride and Prejudice" by Jane Austen was first published anonymously in London.

**In 1915,** the United States Coast Guard was created as President Woodrow Wilson signed a bill merging the Life-Saving Service and Revenue Cutter Service.

**In 1916,** Louis D. Brandeis was nominated by President Woodrow Wilson to the Supreme Court; Brandeis became the court's first Jewish member.

**In 1922,** 98 people were killed when the roof of the Knickerbocker Theatre in Washington, D.C., collapsed under the weight of nearly two feet of snow.

**In 1945,** during World War II, Allied supplies began reaching China over the newly reopened Burma Road.

**In 1956,** Elvis Presley made his first national TV appearance on "Stage Show," a CBS program hosted by Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey.

**In 1980,** six U.S. diplomats who had avoided being taken hostage at their embassy in Tehran flew out of Iran with the help of Canadian diplomats.

**In 1982,** Italian anti-terrorism forces rescued U.S. Brig. Gen. James L. Dozier, 42 days after he had been kidnapped by the Red Brigades.

**In 1986,** the space shuttle Challenger exploded 73 seconds after liftoff from Cape Canaveral, killing all seven crew members, including schoolteacher Christa McAuliffe.

**In 2011,** chaos engulfed Egypt as protesters seized the streets of Cairo, battling police, burning down the ruling party's headquarters and defying a military curfew.

**In 2013,** Lynyrd Skynyrd keyboard player Billy Powell, who survived the 1977 plane crash that killed three band members, died in Orange Park, Fla., at age 56.

**Ten years ago:** Side by side, leading Democratic and Republican senators pledged to propel far-reaching immigration legislation through the Senate by summer, providing a possible path to citizenship for an estimated 11 million people in the U.S. illegally. (Although the Senate did pass such a measure, it has encountered opposition from House Republicans who insisted on a more limited approach.)

**Five years ago:** Bruno Mars won all six Grammy awards for which he was nominated, including album of the year for "24K Magic;" the leading nominee, Jay-Z, walked away empty-handed.

**One year ago:** A 50-year-old bridge collapsed in Pittsburgh, requiring rescuers to rappel down a ravine and form a human chain to reach some occupants of a municipal bus that plummeted along with the span; there were no fatalities, but at least four people were taken to hospitals. President Joe Biden, on a previously-planned trip to Pittsburgh to tout a $1 trillion infrastructure law he had signed, visited the site of the bridge collapse hours later and vowed to fix the nation's aging bridges.

**Today's birthdays:** Actor Nicholas Pryor is 88. Actor Alan Alda is 87. Actor Susan Howard is 81. Actor Marthe (cq) Keller is 78. Sen. Jeanne Shaheen, D-N.H., is 76. Actor-singer Barbi Benton is 73. Evangelical pastor Rick Warren is 69. Former French President Nicolas Sarkozy is 68. Actor Harley Jane Kozak is 66. Movie director Frank Darabont is 64. Rock musician Dave Sharp is 64. Rock singer Sam Phillips is 61. Rock musician Dan Spitz is 60. Gospel singer Marvin Sapp is 56. Singer Sarah McLachlan is 55. Rapper Rakim is 55. DJ Muggs (Cypress Hill) is 55. Actor Kathryn Morris is 54. Humorist Mo Rocca is 54. Rock/soul musician Jeremy Ruzumna (Fitz and the Tantrums) is 53. R&B singer Anthony Hamilton is 52. Supreme Court Justice Amy Coney Barrett is 51. Singer Monifah is 51. Actor Gillian Vigman is 51. Retired MLB All-Star Jermaine Dye is 49. Actor Terri Conn is 48. Singer Joey Fatone Jr. ('N Sync) is 46. Rapper Rick Ross is 46. Actor Rosamund Pike is 44. Actor Angelique Cabral is 44. Singer Nick Carter (Backstreet Boys) is 43. Actor Vinny Chhibber is 43. Actor Elijah Wood is 42. Rapper J. Cole is 38. Actor Alexandra Krosney is 35. Actor Yuri Sardarov is 35. Actor Ariel Winter is 25.

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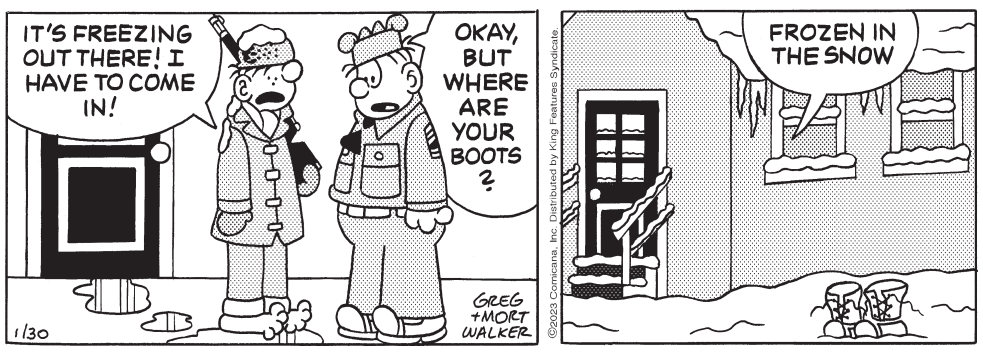
IT'S FREEZING OUT THERE! I HAVE TO COME IN!
OKAY, BUT WHERE ARE YOUR BOOTS?
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FROZEN IN THE SNOW
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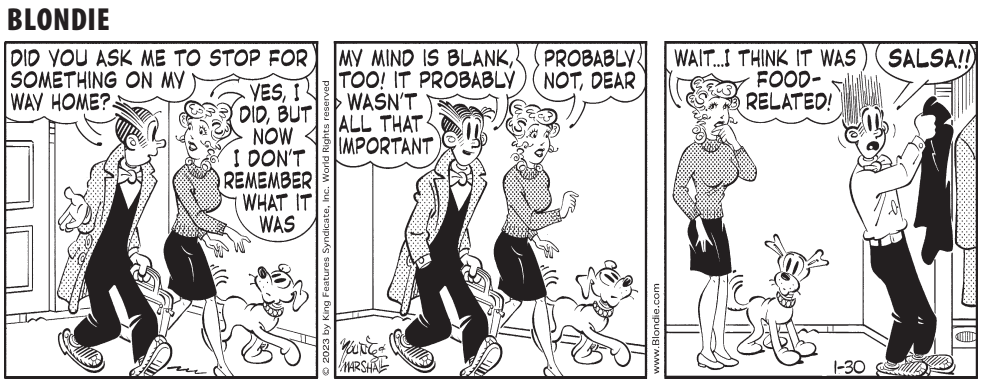
DID YOU ASK ME TO STOP FOR SOMETHING ON MY WAY HOME?
YES, I DID, BUT NOW I DON'T REMEMBER WHAT IT WAS
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MY MIND IS BLANK, TOO! IT PROBABLY WASN'T ALL THAT IMPORTANT
PROBABLY NOT, DEAR
WAIT...I THINK IT WAS FOOD-RELATED!
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## THE FAMILY CIRCUS

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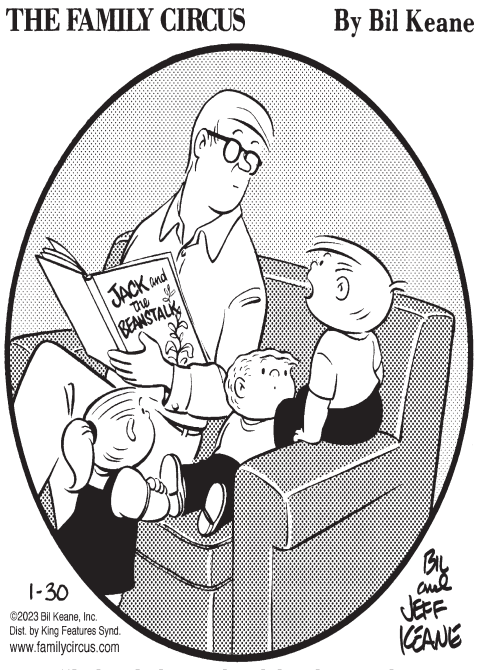


"I don't buy the bit about the beanstalk growing so big overnight."

## DENNIS THE MENACE

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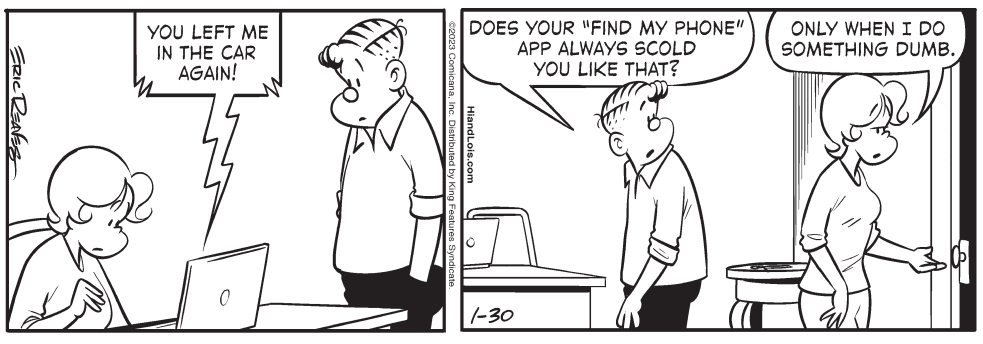
ERIC REYNOLDS
YOU LEFT ME IN THE CAR AGAIN!
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DOES YOUR "FIND MY PHONE" APP ALWAYS SCOLD YOU LIKE THAT?
ONLY WHEN I DO SOMETHING DUMB.
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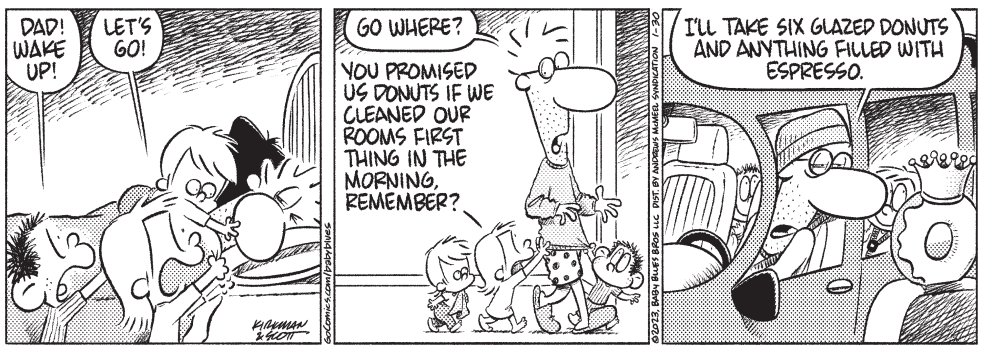
## BABY BLUES


DAD! WAKE UP!
LET'S GO!
GO WHERE?
YOU PROMISED US DONUTS IF WE CLEANED OUR ROOMS FIRST THING IN THE MORNING, REMEMBER?
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I'LL TAKE SIX GLAZED DONUTS AND ANYTHING FILLED WITH ESPRESSO.

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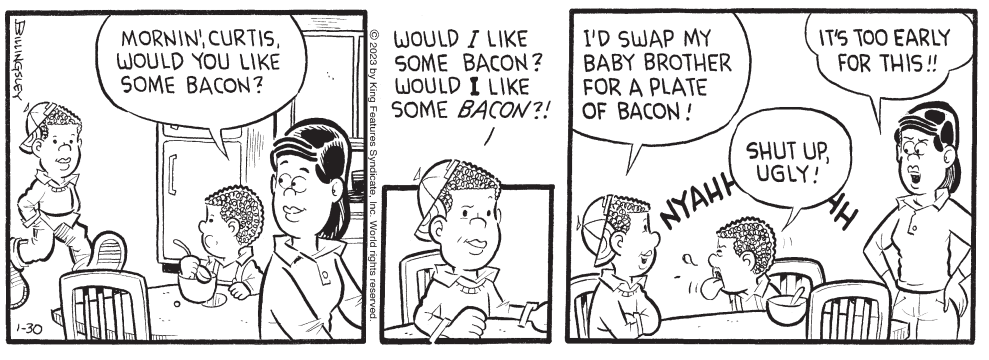
## CURTIS


MORNIN', CURTIS, WOULD YOU LIKE SOME BACON?
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WOULD I LIKE SOME BACON? WOULD I LIKE SOME BACON?!
I'D SWAP MY BABY BROTHER FOR A PLATE OF BACON!
IT'S TOO EARLY FOR THIS!!
SHUT UP, UGLY!
NYAHH
HH

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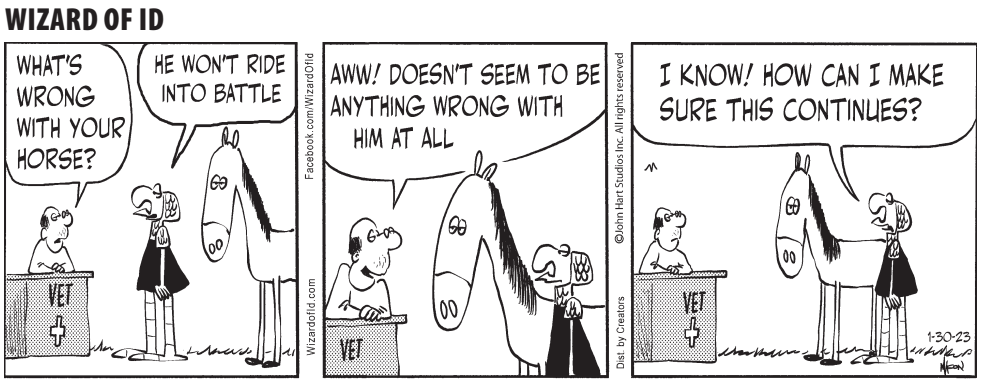
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOUR HORSE?
HE WON'T RIDE INTO BATTLE
VET
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AWW! DOESN'T SEEM TO BE ANYTHING WRONG WITH HIM AT ALL
I KNOW! HOW CAN I MAKE SURE THIS CONTINUES?
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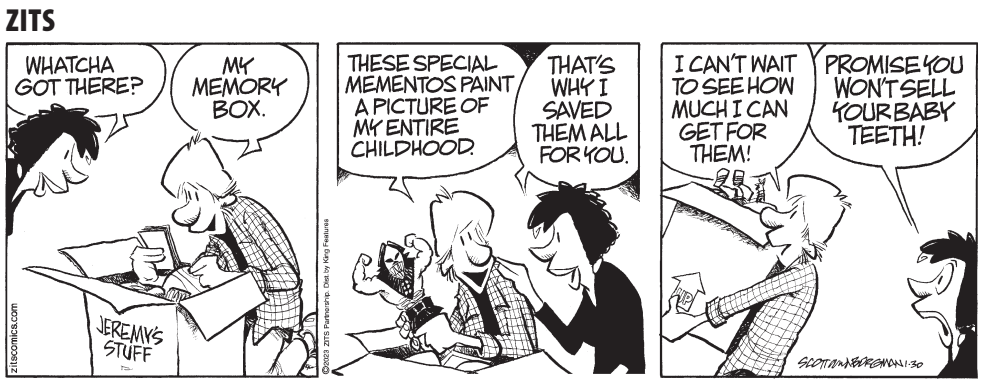
WHATCHA GOT THERE?
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THESE SPECIAL MEMENTOS PAINT A PICTURE OF MY ENTIRE CHILDHOOD.
THAT'S WHY I SAVED THEM ALL FOR YOU.
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I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE HOW MUCH I CAN GET FOR THEM!
I PROMISE YOU WON'T SELL YOUR BABY TEETH!
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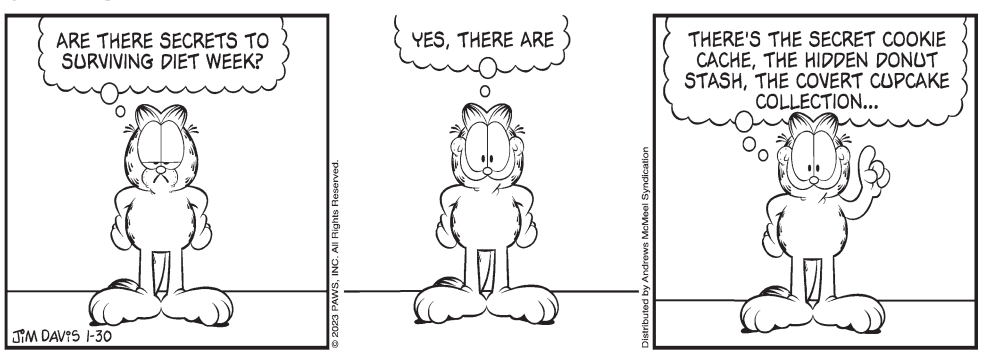
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## TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Jan. 30, the 30th day of 2023. There are 335 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**

On Jan. 30, 1933, Adolf Hitler became chancellor of Germany.

**On this date:**

**In 1649,** England's King Charles I was executed for high treason.

**In 1911,** James White, an intellectually disabled Black young man who'd been convicted of rape for having sex with a 14-year-old white girl when he was 16, was publicly hanged in Bell County, Kentucky.

**In 1945,** during World War II, a Soviet submarine torpedoed the German ship MV Wilhelm Gustloff in the Baltic Sea with the loss of more than 9,000 lives, most of them war refugees; roughly 1,000 people survived.

**In 1948,** Indian political and spiritual leader Mohandas K. Gandhi, 78, was shot and killed in New Delhi by Nathuram Godse (neh-too-RAHM' gahd-SAY'), a Hindu extremist. (Godse and a co-conspirator were later executed.)

**In 1968,** the Tet Offensive began during the Vietnam War as Communist forces launched surprise attacks against South Vietnamese towns and cities; although the Communists were beaten back, the offensive was seen as a major setback for the U.S. and its allies.

**In 1969,** The Beatles staged an impromptu concert atop Apple headquarters in London; it was the group's last public performance.

**In 1972,** 13 Roman Catholic civil rights marchers were shot to death by British soldiers in Northern Ireland on what became known as "Bloody Sunday."

**In 1981,** an estimated 2 million New Yorkers turned out for a ticker tape parade honoring the American hostages freed from Iran.

**In 1993,** Los Angeles inaugurated its Metro Red Line, the city's first modern subway.

**In 2005,** Iraqis voted in their country's first free election in a half-century; President George W. Bush called the balloting a resounding success.

**In 2020,** health officials reported the first known case in which the new coronavirus was spread from one person to another in the United States. The World Health Organization declared the virus outbreak, which had reached more than a dozen countries, to be a global emergency. Russia ordered the closure of its 2,600-mile-long land border with China in an effort to limit the spread of the virus. President Donald Trump described the handful of U.S. cases of the virus as a "very little problem" and said those people were "recuperating successfully." The State Department advised U.S. citizens against traveling to China.

**Ten years ago:** In a dramatic appeal before the Senate Judiciary Committee, wounded former Rep. Gabrielle Giffords urged Congress to enact tougher curbs on guns, saying, "too many children are dying" without them. Israel conducted a rare airstrike on a military target inside Syria amid fears President Bashar Assad's regime could provide powerful weapons to the Islamic militant group Hezbollah.

**Five years ago:** In his first State of the Union address, President Donald Trump called on Congress to make good on long-standing promises to fix a fractured immigration system and issued ominous warnings about deadly gangs, the scourge of drugs and violent immigrants living in the country illegally; the speech also included calls for optimism amid a growing economy. The body of 35-year-old actor Mark Salling, a former cast member on the TV show "Glee," was found in a riverbed area of Los Angeles in what a coroner determined was suicide by hanging; Salling's death came a few weeks after he pleaded guilty to possession of child pornography.

**One year ago:** Matching the biggest comeback in an AFC championship game, the Cincinnati Bengals rallied from an 18-point hole to stun the Kansas City Chiefs 27-24 in overtime.

**Today's birthdays:** Actor Gene Hackman is 93. Actor Vanessa Redgrave is 86. Country singer Jeanne Pruett is 86. Country singer Norma Jean is 85. Horn player William King of The Commodores is 74. Musician Phil Collins is 72. Actor Ann Dowd ("The Handmaid's Tale") is 67. Singer Jody Watley is 64. Actor Wayne Wilderson ("Veep") is 57. Actor Christian Bale is 49. Actor Olivia Colman is 49. Actor Wilmer Valderrama ("That '70s Show") is 43. Actor Mary Hollis Inboden ("The Real O'Neals") is 37. Actor Kylie Bunbury ("Big Sky,""Pitch") is 34. Actor Jake Thomas ("Lizzie McGuire,""Al") is 33.

# READING

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meant teachers were having to change the way they instruct reading. "Everything we've been doing all these years, we realized was not working."

Josephsen was a third grade teacher at Pope John when in January of 2021, Fewell asked her to teach first grade. Initially, Josephsen was a little reluctant about the move. "When you're an older teacher you hit that burnout, and feel like you are ready to head on to beach." She was also feeling frustrated over the struggle to get students to pass iRead and iLearn.

But Fewell's idea for Josephsen to teach first grade was exactly the right move, and proved to be the catalyst to drive the necessary changes needed to increase student reading abilities and refuel Josephsen as an educator.

"I thank her for that because it rejuvenated me," said Josephsen, adding that it provided her a fresh feeling that "I've got a job now. I've got to do this and I just started digging in" to understand the science of reading.

For students to be more successful in reading, it needed to begin before they got to third grade. "We needed to make changes in our Kindergarten to second grade instruction in order to bring success in reading," she said.

Josephsen began researching the science of reading, and seeking all the resources she could through websites, podcasts, books and more. "It's exciting to dig in and I just can't stop," she said. "I bring all that back to K-2 teachers, and we have made positive changes across the board."

In fall semester of this school year, Josephsen's first grade class achieved the highest mid-year test results she's ever had. Her students scored well above the national average and all but four were in the 90th percentile. "The amount of growth points was unreal to me," she said. "Instead of growing just a few points, growth points are in the double digits. On average, my students grew 18 points."

Josephsen is passionate about what she's been able to achieve through utilizing the science of reading. "I'm excited for the kids. There's nothing more rewarding than seeing a kid grow and starting with a child in August and then where the child ends up in May."

More than 50 teachers were nominated for the Reading Star Award statewide based on implementing evidence-aligned reading instruction to their students. The three winners were each awarded $1,000. The other two winners were Chrissy Franz, director of literacy at Emma Donnan Elementary and Middle schools in Indianapolis, and Melanie Beaver, curriculum director at South Vermillion Community Schools. Of the three winners, Josephsen was the only classroom teacher who is actively working with students.

Fewell said Josephsen "does this out of love for students. We have a school leadership program, and she's part of that team and she leads her professional learning community for our primary grades.

"She is what we call a difference maker. She is the type of teacher principals want to have because she's driving change," Fewell added. "Any time we have teachers that are change makers like Tammy is, you see their excitement, it just inspires the rest of our staff. When you see the data coming from a classroom like hers, it's easy to jump on board to want that for your own students. It takes teachers that are difference makers to make that change happen, and we've got some at Pope John including Tammy. I am a very blessed principal."

Josephsen has been an elementary teacher at Pope John for 16 years. Before that, she taught at Southwestern Elementary for 11 years and was a special education teacher at Trimble County Middle School for two years.

Fewell said the science of reading has become a priority for Indiana education. She note that iRead and iLearn scores at the end of 2022 showed "one of out five Hoosier children are not reading at grade level of where they should be at the end of third grade" and now there is "a big push" to address that.

There is currently legislation in Indiana's General Assembly on the science of reading that was requested by Indiana Secretary of Education Katie Jenner, a former educator at Madison Consolidated Schools. State Representative Jake Teshka has authored House Bill 1558 that was unanimously passed out of the House Education Committee on Wednesday and has now been referred to the House Ways and Means.

The bill, if passed by the state legislature, would establish a science of reading grant fund totaling $20 million for the purpose of assisting school corporations in placing literacy instructional coaches in elementary schools, obtaining science of reading training for teachers and complying with science of reading curriculum requirements.

The goal is to get Indiana "up to where we need to be with our instruction to reach these kids," said Fewell, noting that teaching reading in the correct manner "has got to start early for them to be where they need to be by the end of third grade."

# EXPANSION

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support our national security with our production and create great jobs for our region," said Cristobal Fuentes, NAS chief executive officer. "Our latest expansion will bring more clean, sustainable and American-made stainless to consumers and directly compete with the subsidized imports of stainless."

Founded in 1990, this will be the 13th expansion by NAS as the mill has become the largest, fully integrated stainless steel producer in the U.S.

"From its founding more than three decades ago, North American Stainless has been a great friend and partner to this community," said Ghent Mayor Jimmy Lewellyn. "We are so proud that NAS has continued to grow in Ghent, creating good-paying jobs and paving the way for our strong future."

"North American Stainless has played a vital role in the economic growth of Carroll County over the years, investing over $3 billion in the local community and creating over 1,500 jobs for the region," Carroll County Judge/Executive David Wilhoite said. "North American Stainless is a cornerstone of Carroll County and the Commonwealth of Kentucky. We are excited about the expansion and look forward to working with NAS in the future."

Acerinox Group, based in Madrid, Spain, is the parent of NAS, which Fuentes said "was eager to further invest in Kentucky to demonstrate its commitment to our customers and the U.S. market and because our workforce meets and exceeds all goals every year."

Fuentes expressed appreciation for the company's partnership with Kentucky's federal, state and local leaders including Gov. Andy Beshear and U.S. Sen Mitch McConnell.

In 2019, McConnell led passage of a U.S.-Spain tax treaty that delivered relief from double-taxation on American companies like NAS. "In my role as Senate Republican Leader, I fight hard to help job-creators like North American Stainless secure better trade deals, develop new industrial technologies and pay lower taxes," said McConnell.

Beshear thanked the leaders of Acerinox Group and North American Stainless "for continuing to put their faith in Kentucky's workforce and investing in the commonwealth. NAS is growing at an incredible rate ... I look forward to seeing NAS continue to grow and create more opportunities for Kentuckians."

NAS offers a full range of stainless flat steel including slabs, billets, plate, sheet and strip, as well as long products including wire, rods, angles and rebar. All of NAS' production lines are located onsite at its 1,600-acre headquarters, which allows the company to avoid inherent delays that are common in some mills.

The Kentucky Economic Development Finance Authority (KEDFA) approved North American Stainless for up to $400,000 in tax incentives through the Kentucky Enterprise Initiative Act (KEIA). KEIA allows approved companies to recoup Kentucky sales and use tax on construction costs, building fixtures, equipment used in research and development and electronic processing.

By meeting its annual targets over the agreement term, the company can be eligible to keep a portion of the new tax revenue it generates. The company may claim eligible incentives against its income tax liability and/or wage assessments.

In addition, NAS can receive resources from Kentucky's workforce service providers including no-cost recruitment and job placement services, reduced-cost customized training and job-training incentives.

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce released a statement on the expansion. "North American Stainless is an indispensable partner for our community. We are proud to work with the state to support this Kentucky-grown business. As a leading business in Carroll County, NAS has built an incredible operation and encourages new opportunity and a better quality of life for local families every day. We are grateful to Cris Fuentes and his entire team for their commitment to Carroll County."


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## Layin It On The Line

By Stephen Dybwad
Retirement Planning/
Wealth Management

**Have You Considered a Living Trust?**

"A living trust…is more flexible and more private than a will. It affords you, your assets, and your heirs greater protections should you become incapacitated."- Consumer Reports

Most people understand that a will is an estate management document that takes effect after a person dies.

However, there is also a way to administer your estate and ensure your wishes are followed. A living trust is a fund set up while you are alive to help you plan your estate more efficiently and privately.

A living trust is a legal vehicle used to pass on the assets of an estate, such as property, investments, collectibles, and other assets. It is sometimes chosen by people who want to help their heirs avoid a lengthy and expensive probate process or fear they may become incapacitated later in life.

A living trust provides clear instructions about dividing assets once the original owner passes away.

You can fund a trust using several sources, including:

· Cash and bank accounts
· Real estate
· Insurance
· Intellectual property, including patents, copyrights, and trademarks

Formation of a living trust involves the owner of the assets, called the "grantor," removing his or her name from ownership. Then, the assets are placed into the trust's name. This process is known as funding the trust.

Once funding occurs, the grantor designates a "trustee," charged with ensuring that all the trust provisions execute correctly. A trustee must be carefully selected and could be a relative or close associate of the grantor, or even a reputable third party such as a lawyer, banker, or accountant.

Establishing a trust fund enables the grantor to leave an inheritance to their heirs, also called "beneficiaries." The grantor can even place specific conditions on receiving trust items.

Living trusts come in two different versions: revocable and irrevocable. Revocable trusts tend to be the least complex and most common type. Revocable trusts offer flexibility in that they can be changed or canceled by a grantor.

**Advantages of a Living Trust**

· All living trusts offer some unique estate management advantages.
· These include:
· Increased privacy.
· Unlike wills, living trusts are not public documents. The public cannot get copies of a living trust without permission from the trustee.
· Shorter, less expensive probate. With a trust, the trustee can take care of end-of-life issues, like dealing with creditors, more efficiently. The trustee can act immediately, without the need to wait for a probate judge to decide.

**The Downsides of a Living Trust**

Before deciding to set up a trust, you should recognize that there are potential downsides.

Trusts can be costly: Depending on your circumstances and your goals for a trust, it can be expensive to set up.

Some people attempt to set up trusts themselves, using forms or an online platform to avoid this.

You must participate in the process: When a grantor establishes a trust, he or she has the sometimes tedious job of retitling assets. Failing to retitle assets means the trust will not perform to expectations.

Whatever you decide, always use an authorized attorney to prepare your trust. Never use an insurance agent who claims to be working with an attorney; these can be more costly and are frowned upon by the legal community.

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# Shawe blasts Rising Sun to win ORVC title

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

At no point during Shawe's dismantling of Rising Sun did any member of the Hilltoppers' girls basketball team give a hint of what they were about to accomplish. There were no high-fives, no hugs and not even a smile.

But once the final horn sounded, the emotion poured forth.

Shawe dominated Rising Sun from start to finish and rolled to a 51-25 victory at home on Thursday in front of a near capacity crowd. The victory clinched the Hilltoppers' first Ohio River Valley Conference championship since the 1993-94 season and set a school record for wins in a season.

The moment wasn't lost on the young Hilltoppers.

"It is very exciting just watching everyone coming together and playing as a team. It just feels good," said sophomore Allison Knoebel, one of the grizzled veterans on a team with just one senior and one junior. "It's been a long time. We are young, but I knew we could do it. Our coach knew we could do it and everyone, all of our family and friends, knew we could do it"

Shawe finished its ORVC schedule with a 5-1 record, tied with South Ripley atop the league standings. The Hilltoppers' lone conference loss came in a 21-point setback to Ripley on Dec. 8, which also stands as the last time they tasted defeat.

At no point on Thursday was Shawe's nine-game winning streak in danger of ending. Other than a slow start that saw the Hilltoppers collect two fouls and miss three shots in the first two minutes, they were in complete control.

Shawe (17-4, 5-1 ORVC) scored the first nine points of the game, led 16-6 after the first quarter and just piled on from there, expanding the margin to 34-14 at halftime and 45-19 after three quarters. The Hilltoppers' defense dominated play to force 15 turnovers — 10 off of steals — and held Rising Sun to just 25% (10-for-40) shooting for the game.

David Campbell

**Shawe's Hunter Mote (on knee) dives to reach for the ball while defending Rising Sun's Baylee Morris during the Hilltoppers' 51-25 win on Thursday.**

Shawe coach Drew Kring said that he and his staff did not shy away from talks of a conference title in practice during the week and was pleased at the way his players handled themselves once the game started.

"They were ready. We talked about it the last couple days in practice and I told them all week that 'you're ready for this. All we got to go do is what we've done in the last, well, 10 games now," Kring said. "It wasn't going to be about X's and O's; it was going to be about whether we come ready to play. There's a couple things we can control and that is our attitude, our effort and our defense and we did that tonight."

It is on defense that Shawe has improved the most this season. Despite starting two freshmen and two sophomores, the Hilltoppers have learned to take pride in stopping the other team and are now holding opponents to less than 38 points per game.

"I think our defense really just takes everyone out," Knoebel said. "The way were playing defense right now, we know how to play. If we can do that, then we're pretty set."

Although just a sophomore, Knoebel has emerged as the team's leader and showed that in the first half with 12 points to lead the Hilltoppers. While she did not score in the second half,

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# Madison takes No. 5 Trinity Lutheran to OT in loss

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison battled Class A No. 5 Trinity Lutheran down to the wire before falling 65-58 in double overtime in girls basketball Thursday in Seymour.

Madison's pressure allowed the Cubs to battle back from a 28-23 halftime deficit and pull ahead by as much as five points, 41-36, with 4:59 to play.

Trinity closed regulation on a 7-2 to run to force overtime when Liza Froedge sank a 3-pointer with 20 seconds left to tie the game.

Trinity led for most of the first overtime but Madison's Casey Dyer hit a 3-pointer at the buzzer to force a second overtime tied at 53.

The Cubs trailed most of the second overtime with Trinity sealing the win at the foul line.

Trinity senior Bailey Tabeling led all scorers with 27 points, including 12-of-14 at the foul stripe, while Madison Keith scored 15 and Froedge added eight.

Cadence Traylor had 17 points and six rebounds to lead the Cubs while Juliana Davis had 17 points and four steals.

Dyer added nine points and five rebounds and Alaina Kelley had seven points and four rebounds.

The win was a milestone for Trinity coach Mike Lang, who is now 200-93 with the Cougars.

Madison ends the regular season with a 10-12 record. The Cubs open the Class 3A Sectional at Corydon on Tuesday against Salem.

Trinity (17-6) caps the regular season Saturday by hosting South Decatur and then takes on Shawe Memorial next week in the first round of Class 1A Sectional at Rising Sun.

"All I know is Shawe has to look at the paper tomorrow in Madison and see we beat Madison, which is going to give us confidence going in, knowing we can compete with anybody," Lang told the Seymour Tribune.

### SOUTHWESTERN FALLS TO JCD

Southwestern girls basketball closed out the regular season with a 55-34 loss at Jac-Cen-Del in girls basketball on Thursday.

The Rebels, now 8-15 overall and 2-4 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, open the Class 2A Sectional at Austin on Tuesday against Henryville.

### PACERS LOSE TO OLDENBURG

Switzerland County closed out the regular season with a 54-52 loss at home to Oldenburg on Thursday in girls basketball.

Halle Archer scored 17 points and had five rebounds, four steals and three assists to lead the Pacers.

Bri Stow added 13 points and four rebounds and Courtney Higgins had nine points, five assists and four steals.

Switzerland, now 13-9, will host the Class 2A Sectional tourney next week and drew a first-round bye. The Pacers will take on the winner between North Decatur and South Ripley in the semifinals on Friday, Feb. 3.

# Bengals visit Kansas City for AFC title game

BY DAVE SKRETTA
ASSOCIATED PRESS

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The Kansas City Chiefs have lost three straight games to the Cincinnati Bengals, including last year's AFC title game, when they blew an early 21-3 lead in an overtime defeat before a sea of stunned fans inside Arrowhead Stadium.

Patrick Mahomes, who expects to lead the Chiefs against the Bengals on a sprained right ankle in Sunday night's rematch (**TV:** Live on CBS at 6:30 p.m.), is likewise winless against Bengals counterpart Joe Burrow, the only quarterback to have beaten him three straight times.

In other words, there's a reason the AFC North champions are imbued with a certain degree of confidence as they return to Kansas City, where the burgeoning rivals will once again determine who represents the AFC in the Super Bowl.

"Your preparation leads to confidence. That's just what you see from Joe and all of our players," explained the even-keeled Bengals coach Zac Taylor, who has somehow out-schemed, outcoached and gotten his team to out-execute Andy Reid and his Chiefs over the past 13 months. "So when they walk on the field on Sunday, they're relaxed."

In fact, the Bengals are so confident that some have taken to calling the Chiefs' home "Burrowhead Stadium."

Which, as you can imagine, doesn't sit well with the AFC West champs.

"I'm sure a lot of guys are aware of the comments they're making," Chiefs wide receiver JuJu Smith-Schuster admitted. "The Bengals have always been the rah-rah team, and they back it up. And they're doing so again in the postseason."

Yet it's not as if the Bengals, who roared past the Buffalo Bills in the divisional round, have dominated the Chiefs, who took care of the Jacksonville Jaguars despite losing Mahomes for most of a quarter following his injury.

All three of their meetings have been decided by just three points each.

"We know what team we're playing, a team that has been to this game the last five seasons, and they've all been in that stadium," Burrow said. "So to me, they're still the team to beat and we're coming for them, but we know it's going to be tough. We know it's going to be hard-fought, and we know the kind of players they have on that side."

Their matchup in last year's title game was a classic. Mahomes threw three first-half touchdown passes, then Burrow led a dramatic comeback for Cincinnati. And when the Chiefs' Harrison Butker kicked a 41-yard field goal with no time left to send the game to overtime, the Bengals quickly picked off Mahomes to set up Evan McPherson's winning kick.

"Listen, they probably should be confident. They've won three games," said Reid, who is trying to guide Kansas City back to the Super Bowl for the third time in four seasons. "That's OK. We're still going to play the game."

Besides, the Chiefs have a quiet confidence about them, too.

"I would say they know us. We know them. And we're all searching for that little extra that you can throw at them," Reid said. "We've played each other enough that I'm sure both sides feel the same way."

### MAHOMES ON THE MEND

The Chiefs' All-Pro quarterback practiced as usual this week, and Mahomes' ailing right ankle did not appear more heavily taped than the left. His ability to scramble is a big part of his game, though, particularly when it comes to finding time to make off-schedule throws, and any hesitation could be costly for Kansas City's offense.

"It's about being a competitor," Mahomes said this week. "You want to be out there, especially in these games."

### RECHARGED RUN GAME

The Bengals often struggled to run the ball this season, but Joe Mixon dominated the Bills last week, despite an offensive line forced to use a trio of backups because of injuries. He finished with 105 yards rushing and a touchdown.

"That's nothing I'm surprised about," Mixon said. "At the same time it's a great thing to be able to contribute in a major way with my teammates in a crucial moment. So as the moments get bigger, I've just got to keep elevating my game."

### SPEAKING OF RUNNING

Whatever the limitations on Mahomes because of his ankle, the Chiefs will almost certainly try to help him out by getting their run game going. Isiah Pacheco had 95 yards on just 12 carries last week, and the bulk of that came during a 12-play, 98-yard drive when Mahomes was getting examined and backup Chad Henne was in the game.

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## CALENDAR

### Today

**BASKETBALL**

Hanover women at Defiance, noon
Hanover men at Defiance, 2 p.m.
Trimble Co. boys host Villa Madonna, 2:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. girls at Beechwood, 3:30 p.m.
Madison boys at North Harrison, 7:30 p.m.
Shawe boys host West Washington, 7:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. boys at Milan, 7:30 p.m.

**SWIMMING**

Southwestern, Switzerland Co., Switzerland Co. Inv., 10 a.m.
Switzerland Co. hosts Charlestown, Oldenburg, 10 a.m.
Hanover hosts Bluffton, Anderson, 1 p.m.

**WRESTLING**

Madison, Southwestern, Switzerland Co., IHSAA Sectionals at Jennings Co., 9 a.m.

### Monday

**BASKETBALL**

Carroll Co. boys host Owen Co., 7:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. boys at Gallatin Co., 7:30 p.m.

### Tuesday

**BASKETBALL**

Madison girls vs. Salem, IHSAA Class 3A Sectional at Corydon, 6 p.m.
Shawe girls vs. Trinity Lutheran, IHSAA Class A Sectional at Rising Sun, 6 p.m.
Carroll Co. girls host Owen Co., 7:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. girls at Gallatin Co., 7:30 p.m.

# Houston scores 1,000th point in win

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Ty Houston scored his 1,000th career point and Jon Miller picked up his 250th career coaching win in Hanover College's 84-78 win at Rose-Hulman on Wednesday in men's basketball.

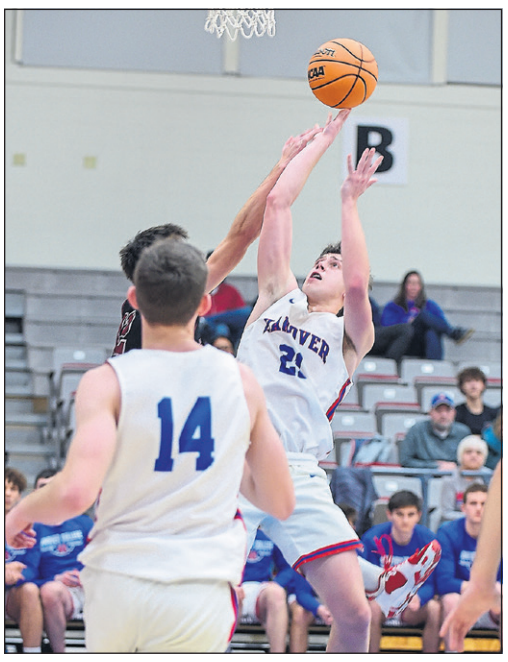
Hanover spent the first half playing from behind. Rose-Hulman built a 21-12 lead midway through the first half when Houston, a senior from Union, Kentucky, halted the run with a turnaround jumper in the lane to hit the 1,000 career scoring milestone. That basket kicked off the Panther comeback and Hanover pulled to within 48-42 at the break.

The second half belonged to Hanover. Houston opened the half with a 3-pointer from the corner and Brice Gilman scored a bucket as the Panthers pulled to within one. Coleman Sater then pushed Hanover into the lead with a three-point play with 7:41 to go and Hanover pulled away for the six-point win.

Houston finished the game with 28 points while Sater, a sophomore from Ellettsville, scored a career-high 25 points. Max Greenamoyer added 13 points for the Panthers.

Hanover, now 11-7 overall, improved to 7-4 in the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference and sits fourth in the league standings, two games back of leader Anderson.

The Panthers travel to Defiance on Saturday and host front-runner Anderson on Wednesday.



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**Hanover's Ty Houston, shown battling against Transylvania last week, scored 28 points — including his 1,000th career point — in the Panthers' 84-78 win at Rose-Hulman on Wednesday.**

# Colts still want to speak with 49ers DC Ryans

BY ROB MAADDI
AP PRO FOOTBALL WRITER

The Indianapolis Colts still want to interview 49ers defensive coordinator DeMeco Ryans for their head coach vacancy, and are planning to give Jeff Saturday a second interview along with six or seven other candidates, a person familiar with the team's plans told The Associated Press.

The person spoke on condition of anonymity Tuesday because the team is still narrowing its list of coaches for second interviews to seven or eight.

Ryans had an interview planned with the Colts last week, but had to postpone to focus on preparation for San Francisco's divisional playoff game against the Dallas Cowboys. Ryans interviewed with the Texans and Broncos, but also had to postpone with the Cardinals. The Panthers also are interested in Ryans.

Ryans can have second interviews with Houston and Denver next week whether the Niners win or lose, per NFL rules. The window for first interviews with teams has closed for now so he'll have to wait until San Francisco's season is over to speak with the Colts, Cardinals and Panthers.

The Colts already have interviewed special teams coordinator Bubba Ventrone, Lions offensive coordinator Ben Johnson and defensive coordinator Aaron Glenn, Broncos DC Ejiro Evero, Eagles OC Shane Steichen, Giants OC Mike Kafka, Rams DC Raheem Morris, Bengals OC Brian Callahan, Giants DC Wink Martindale, Cowboys DC Dan Quinn, Packers special teams coordinator Rich Bisaccia and Chiefs OC Eric Bieniemy.

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**Shawe's lone senior, Katie Jacobs, is all smiles as she celebrates with the Ohio River Valley Conference girls basketball championship trophy after the Hilltoppers clinched that title on Thursday, Shawe's first conference title since 1994.**

# ORVC

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her play set the tone for a team that looked relaxed all night long.

Freshman Audrey Barron — whose mother Sheila Kring was one of the stars of that 1994 team — led all scorers with 17 points and added six rebounds while sophomore Ava Turner had 10 points and five rebounds. Freshman Hunter Mote had five points and seven assists while junior Yolett Perez had five points and eight rebounds.

Baylee Morris scored 11 points to lead Rising Sun (10-11, 2-4 ORVC).

As a Shawe graduate and the school's third all-time leading scorer, Kring knows how important the win is to the history of the girls basketball program and the school as a whole. This year marks just the eighth winning season in the 48-year history of the program.

"I am just extremely proud of this group of girls. I told them in the locker room that this is the greatest group of kids that I've been able to coach and that says a lot," Kring said.

"They come to work every day and they deserve this. Their hard work, their effort, their dedication, I mean, I couldn't ask for more. We've got a chance to really build something and to build a program. Again, it's just something they deserved."

The next step for Shawe will come at the sectional level. The Hilltoppers have only five postseason wins in their history and have never advanced to a sectional championship game. They open this year's tournament on Tuesday at Rising Sun against fifth-ranked Trinity Lutheran, which has won the last three sectional titles.

The Hilltoppers know that they have a tough task against the Cougars — 65-58 double overtime winners over Madison on Thursday — but they are more than ready to face the challenge.

"We're ready. I think it's good that we're getting them first," Knoebel said. "They're the favorite but that doesn't mean anything. We can still get out there and beat them and knock them off."

Kring, who led Shawe's boys team to its first-ever sectional title in 2002 as a player, is confident that his team will be ready to go and has a simple message:

"We're coming."

# BENGALS

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### QUICK RELEASE

A big part of Burrow's success is getting the ball out quickly, before pass rushers can find a lane and defenders can process what's happening. His release time averaged about 2 1/2 seconds last week and the Bills sacked him just once.

"We can't let him sit back in the pocket and get into rhythm throws because that's when he's most dangerous," Chiefs safety Justin Reid said. "You're not going to win games if you don't get sacks and turnovers, especially against a team like this."

### INTRIGUING MATCHUPS

The Bengals have one of the league's best groups of wide receivers, headlined by Ja'Marr Chase, who set the franchise's single-game record with 266 yards receiving in a regular-season win over Kansas City last season.

They'll be facing one of the youngest defensive backfields, which often has three rookie corners and a rookie safety on the field at once.

"Hopefully we've grown enough that we can match what they put out there," Chiefs defensive coordinator Steve Spagnuolo said. "This is an elite group we're going against. We have to have an elite game. We have to play our best game of the year."

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| 4 WTTV | 4 | | (4:30) PGA Tour Golf | | | | NCIS: LA | | 48 Hours | | 48 Hours | | CBS4.. |
| 5 WLWT | 2 | | News | | NBC.. | Let's.. | The Wall | | Dateline NBC | | SNL | | News |
| 8 WISH | 12 | | News | FamFe.. | The Rookie | | Criss Angel | | Animals | Animals | News (N) | | News |
| 9 WCPO | 23 | | (5:30) NBA Basketball | | | | NBA | NBA Basketball | | | | | News |
| 11 WHAS | 11 | 4 | (5:30) NBA Basketball | | | | NBA | NBA Basketball | | | | | News |
| 15 WKPC | 13 | | Lawrence Welk | | TimFa.. | RedG.. | Kentuc.. | Ky.Af.. | ★★★ Spaceballs ('87) Mel Brooks. | | | | Austin |
| 19 WXIX | 10 | | (5:30) College Basketball | | | Hoops | Basketball Ohio State at Indiana | | | | FOX19 | | Name-.. |
| 32 WLKY | 5 | 5 | (4:30) PGA Tour Golf | | | | NCIS: LA | | 48 Hours | | 48 Hours | | News |
| 34 WBKI | 7 | 7 | Judge.. | Judge.. | 9-1-1 | | Criss Angel | | Animals | Animals | The Rookie | | Magn.. |
| 41 WDRB | 8 | 9 | (5:30) College Basketball | | | Hoops | Basketball Ohio State at Indiana | | | | WDRB News | | Name-.. |
| A&E | 28 | 36 | (5:30) ★★★ San Andreas ('15) | | | | ★★★ White House Down ('13) Channing Tatum. | | | | | | Road.. |
| AMC | 29 | 26 | (5:45) ★★★ Red Dawn ('84) Patrick Swayze. | | | | | ★★★ Days of Thunder ('90) Tom Cruise. | | | | | Movie |
| COM | 45 | 59 | (5:30) ★★ Pixels ('15) | | | | ★★ Big Daddy ('99) | | | | ★★ Grown Ups ('10) | | |
| DISC | 31 | 38 | Afraid XL "Legendary Fail" | | | | Naked and Afraid XL | | | | Naked and Afraid XL | | |
| DISN | 25 | 29 | Ladyb.. /(:20) ★★★★ Inside Out | | | | TheP.. | TheP.. | Big City | Big City | Hams.. | Hams.. | TheP.. |
| ESPN | 32 | 44 | Basketball Texas at Tennessee (N) | | | | Basketball Kansas at Kentucky (N) | | | | X Games (N) (Live) | | |
| FREE | 18 | 40 | Movie | (:35) ★★★ Maleficent ('14) | | | | (:40) ★★★ Maleficent: Mistress of Evil ('19) | | | | | Movie |
| FX | 40 | 28 | (4:30) ★ Captai... | | ★★★★ Black Panther ('18) Chadwick Boseman. | | | | | | ★★★★ Black Panther | | |
| HBO | 201 | 17 | (:20) ★★★ American Ultra ('15) | | | | ★ The Cabin in the W... | | | (:40) The Last | | Game | Movie |
| MAX | 270 | 73 | Movie | ★★★★ Nobody ('21) | | | ★★★ Non-Stop ('14) | | | (:45) ★★ 12 Rounds ('09) | | | |
| NEWSNTN | 20 | 20 | Blue Bloods | | NewsNation (N) | | NewsNation (N) | | NewsNation (N) | | NewsNation | | News.. |
| PARMT | 35 | 41 | (5:00) ★★★ Spider-Man 3 ('07) | | | | ★★★★ Spider-Man ('02) Tobey Maguire. | | | | | Spider-Man 2 | |
| SHOW | 221 | 16 | (4:45) ★ Money... | | Your Honor | | Your Honor (N) | | ★ Everything Everywhere All at Once | | | | |
| TMC | 233 | 74 | (5:10) ★ After.... | | ★★★★ Logan Lucky ('17) | | | | ★ Tone-Deaf ('19) | | | Sound of Vi... | |
| TNT | 27 | 43 | (3:45) ★ Star W... | | Prega.. | Soccer | | | | Postga.. | ★ Star Wars: The Rise ... | | |
| USA | 26 | 33 | (2:30) IMSA Rolex 24 at Daytona | | | | Figure Skating | | | | IMSA Weathertech | | |

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| 3 WAVE | 6 | 2 | WA.. | NBC.. | ★★★★ Sing ('16) | | | | America's/Talent "Auditions 3" | | | | WA.. |
| 4 WTTV | 4 | | NFL | Football Cincinnati Bengals at Kansas City Chiefs (N) (Live) | | | | | | | Fire (N) | | CBS4.. |
| 5 WLWT | 2 | | News | NBC.. | ★★★★ Sing ('16) | | | | America's/Talent "Auditions 3" | | | | News |
| 8 WISH | 12 | | News | FamFe.. | The Rookie | | Animals | Animals | Whose.. | Whose.. | News | Sports.. | News |
| 9 WCPO | 23 | | News | World.. | Fun Videos | | ★★★★ The Avengers ('12) Robert Downey Jr.. | | | | | | News |
| 11 WHAS | 11 | 4 | World.. | News | Fun Videos | | ★★★★ The Avengers ('12) Robert Downey Jr.. | | | | | | News |
| 15 WKPC | 13 | | Last/.. | KeepUp | Summer (N) | | Miss Scarlet (N) | | Creatures (N) | | Vienna (N) | | Traces |
| 19 WXIX | 10 | | Postga.. | PaidP.. | Hell's Kitchen | | Special Forces | | | | FOX19 (N) | | FOX19 |
| 32 WLKY | 5 | 5 | NFL | Football Cincinnati Bengals at Kansas City Chiefs (N) (Live) | | | | | | | Fire (N) | | News |
| 34 WBKI | 7 | 7 | Sheldon | Sheldon | 9-1-1 | | Animals | Animals | Whose.. | Whose.. | Good Dr | | black-i.. |
| 41 WDRB | 8 | 9 | Postga.. | BigBa.. | Hell's Kitchen | | Special Forces | | | | WDRB News | | TheW.. |
| A&E | 28 | 36 | The First 48 | | The First 48 | | The First 48 "Chain of Death" | | | | The First 48 | | First48 |
| AMC | 29 | 26 | ★★★★ True Lies ('94) Arnold Schwarzenegger. | | | | | | Mayfair (N) | | Mayfair | | Movie |
| COM | 45 | 59 | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | TheOf.. | South.. |
| DISC | 31 | 38 | Dirty Jobs | | Dirty Jobs | | Dirty Jobs (N) | | Sewer (N) | | Dirty Jobs | | Dirty.. |
| DISN | 25 | 29 | Big City | Big City | ★★★★ Wreck-It Ralph | | | Bunk'd | Bunk'd | Jessie | Jessie | Jessie | Big City |
| ESPN | 32 | 44 | (5:00) E.. | X Games (N) (Live) | | | | | | SportC.. | NFL (N) (Live) | | Sports.. |
| FREE | 18 | 40 | (5:40) ★★★★ Aladdin ('92) | | | | (:45) ★★★ Cruella ('21) Emma Thompson, Emma Stone. (P) | | | | | | Movie |
| FX | 40 | 28 | (4:00) ★ Enemy ... | | ★★★ Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom ('18) | | | | | | ★ Jurassic World: Fall... | | |
| HBO | 201 | 17 | (5:50) ★★★★ The Batman ('22) Robert Pattinson. | | | | | | The Last (N) | | (:20) The Last of Us | | |
| MAX | 270 | 73 | (:20) ★★ Killers ('10) | | | | ★★★ Anna ('19) Sasha Luss. | | | | ★★★★ Lone Survivor | | |
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| SHOW | 221 | 16 | (5:50) ★★★★ Good Will Hunting | | | | Your Honor | | Your Honor (N) | | Your Honor | | Movie |
| TMC | 233 | 74 | (5:45) ★ 5-25-77 ('22) | | | | ★★★★★ Titanic ('97) Leonardo DiCaprio. | | | | | | Movie |
| TNT | 27 | 43 | (4:00) ★ Captai... | | ★★★★ Thor: Ragnarok ('17) | | | | | (:45) ★★★★ Avengers: Endgame | | | |
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| 4 WTTV | 4 | | CBS4.. | CBS.. | BigBa.. | Sheldon | Neighb.. | BobH.. | NCIS "Unearth" | | NCIS: Hawai'i | | CBS4.. |
| 5 WLWT | 2 | | News | NBC.. | WLWT | Holly.. | Got Talent "Auditions 5" (N) | | | | Quantum (N) | | News |
| 8 WISH | 12 | | News (N) | | Insid.. | ET (N) | All Amer (N) | | American (N) | | News (N) | | News |
| 9 WCPO | 23 | | News | World.. | News | The List | The Bachelor (N) | | | | Good Dr (N) | | News |
| 11 WHAS | 11 | 4 | News | World.. | ET (N) | Insid.. | The Bachelor (N) | | | | Good Dr (N) | | News |
| 15 WKPC | 13 | | World.. | Edition | NewsHour (N) | | Kentucky (N) | | Secrets of the | | Independent Lens (N) | | |
| 19 WXIX | 10 | | FOX19 | FOX19 | Wheel | Jeopa.. | Fantasy (N) | | Alert (N) | | FOX19 (N) | | FOX19 |
| 32 WLKY | 5 | 5 | News | CBS.. | Wheel | Jeopa.. | Neighb.. | BobH.. | NCIS "Unearth" | | NCIS: Hawai'i | | News |
| 34 WBKI | 7 | 7 | Neighb.. | House.. | Sheldon | BigBa.. | All Amer (N) | | American (N) | | BigBa.. | Sheldon | black-i.. |
| 41 WDRB | 8 | 9 | WD.. | News | Judge.. | Judge.. | Fantasy (N) | | Alert (N) | | WDRB News | | WD.. |
| A&E | 28 | 36 | The First 48 | | The First 48 | | The First 48 | | The First 48 | | The First 48 | | First48 |
| AMC | 29 | 26 | (4:00) ★ True Li... | | ★★★★ Gladiator Joaquin Phoenix, Russell Crowe. | | | | | | | ★★★★ Gladiator | |
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| DISC | 31 | 38 | Street Outlaws | | Street (N) | | Street Outlaws "Imports Strike Back" (N) | | | | | | Street |
| DISN | 25 | 29 | Ladyb.. | Ladyb.. | Hams.. | Big City | ★★★★ Up ('09) | | | Hams.. | BigCity | Hams.. | Ladyb.. |
| ESPN | 32 | 44 | SportsCenter | | Basketball Virginia at Syracuse | | | | Basketball Baylor at Texas (N) | | | | Sports.. |
| FREE | 18 | 40 | Movie | ★★★ National Treasure: Book of Secrets | | | | | Watchful (P) | | Watchful (N) | | 700Club |
| FX | 40 | 28 | (5:00) ★ Mission: Impossible -- F... | | | | ★★ Gone in 60 Seconds Nicolas Cage. | | | | | ★ The Waterboy | |
| HBO | 201 | 17 | Movie | (:40) The Last of Us | | | ★★★ Cold Pursuit ('19) | | | | The Last of Us | | Movie |
| MAX | 270 | 73 | (:10) ★★ Geostorm ('17) | | | | ★★★★ Danny Collins | | | (:45) ★ What's Eating Gilbert G... | | | |
| NEWSNTN | 20 | 20 | Rush Hour (N) | | On Balance (N) | | Cuomo (N) | | Dan Abrams | | Banfield (N) | | Cuomo |
| PARMT | 35 | 41 | TwoM.. | TwoM.. | TwoM.. | TwoM.. | Movie | | | | | | Movie |
| SHOW | 221 | 16 | (5:30) B.. | ★ Agent Game ('22) | | | Your Honor | | ★★★★★ Pulp Fiction ('94) John Travolta. | | | | |
| TMC | 233 | 74 | (:15) ★ Dreamland ('19) | | | | ★★★★ Sense and Sensibility ('95) | | | | | ★ Florence Fo... | |
| TNT | 27 | 43 | (4:45) ★ Thor: Ragnarok | | | | ★★★★ Avengers: Endgame ('19) Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr.. | | | | | | |
| USA | 26 | 33 | Chi. Fire (N) | | Chi. Fire (N) | | WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (Live) | | | | | | I Do |

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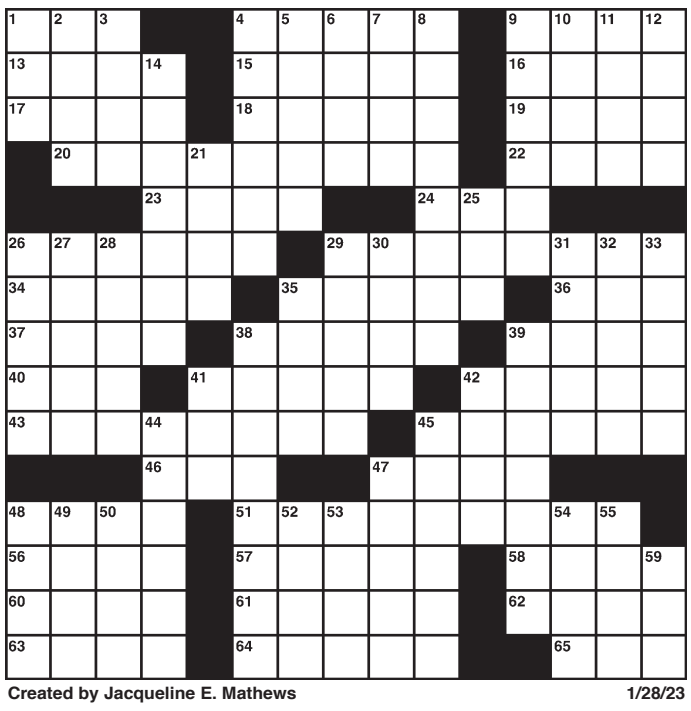

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**ACROSS**
1 Energy
4 Febreze targets
9 Moreover
13 Baker's need
15 Ike's love
16 Vittles
17 At __; relaxed
18 Actress Verdugo
19 Chimney channel
20 Dark songbirds
22 Troubles
23 On one's __; alert
24 Lincoln or Ford
26 Humble; unassuming
29 Child's chum
34 Uneven
35 Feel about blindly
36 1 and 2 and 3 and 4
37 Lie alongside
38 Wonderland visitor
39 Hair coloring
40 Poet's contraction
41 Like an afghan hound's coat
42 Inaccurate
43 Church toppers
45 Sheen
46 Word with Buren or Gogh
47 Has to
48 Entreaty
51 Hugeness
56 Highway
57 "__ My Way"; film for Bing
58 Requirement
60 Monster
61 Massive crowd
62 Equipment
63 Unite metals by heating
64 Lock of hair
65 Introverted

**DOWN**
1 "The Tell-Tale Heart" author
2 Perón & Longoria
3 Nuisance
4 Egg dish
5 Pricey surrealistic paintings
6 Foreboding sign
7 Piece of jewelry
8 Ocean resort artwork
9 Swear to
10 Lounge about
11 Aretha's music
12 Some of Keats' works
14 Least messy
21 Jack's love in "Titanic"
25 Thumbs-up vote
26 Vegan no-nos
27 Encircle
28 Throw water on
29 Is nosy
30 Door securer
31 Like Pisa's tower
32 Uptight
33 Go into
35 Joyfulness
38 From dusk to dawn
39 Sampling
41 Swirling bath
42 Complain childishly
44 Didn't get caught by
45 Forward thrusts
47 Fixes
48 Ship's bow
49 Theater box
50 Pres. Carter's middle name
52 Secure a boat
53 Marshy ground
54 Golfing items
55 Slangy reply
59 As __ as a bone

**Today's Puzzle Solved**

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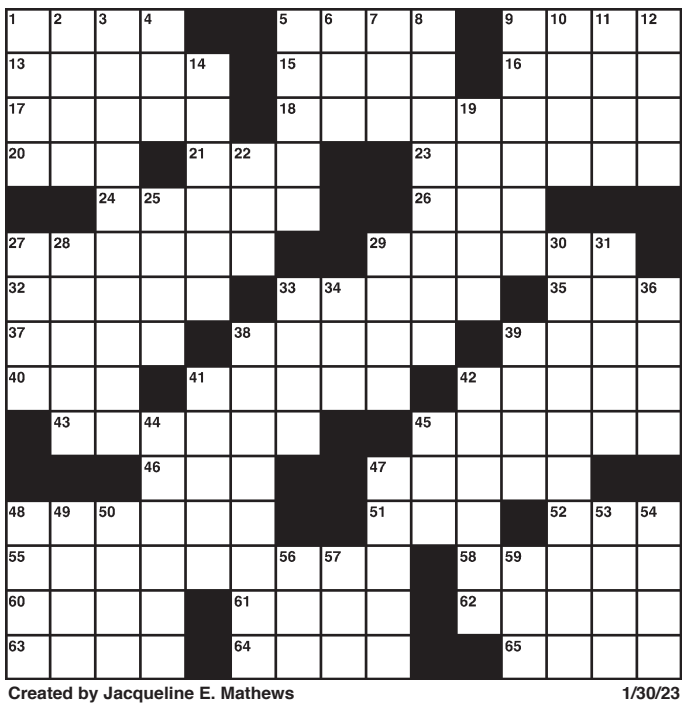

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**ACROSS**
1 Sound of relief
5 One with the lead role
9 Shapeless mass
13 Allergic skin disorder
15 __ up; reconcile
16 __ oak; Georgia's state tree
17 Stadium
18 Deserted
20 Two-digit number
21 Fleur-de-__
23 Diners
24 Instruct
26 Sense of humor
27 Solidly built
29 Some Delta employees
32 Perjurers
33 Glowing
35 Boston __ Sox
37 Problems
38 Well-__; good health & fortune
39 Not bananas
40 Role on TV's "Alice"
41 Nodded off
42 Stop temporarily
43 Respiratory or skeletal
45 "Trees" poet
46 "Olympus __ Fallen"; 2013 film
47 Dance from Bohemia
48 Back teeth
51 Feel poorly
52 Sunbather's reward
55 Like some twins
58 Compadre
60 "Groovy!"
61 Accepted standard
62 Leveled, as a building
63 Notice
64 Leaves
65 Koppel & Danson

**DOWN**
1 "Come again?"
2 Bring on board
3 At the end of the day
4 Actress Ming-Na __
5 Crush
6 Actor Hunter
7 Wanted poster letters
8 Making a magazine publisher happy
9 Drunk
10 On the __; being risked
11 Think __; ponder
12 Flower gardens
14 Dinner courses
19 Many a newspaper
22 Like a sno-cone
25 Makes a mistake
27 Word with chance or pickings
28 Mah-jongg pieces
29 16 liquid ounces
30 Put through an ordeal
31 In a __; sort of
33 "Things aren't always what they __"
34 Stylish
36 Graceful animal
38 Godsend
39 Vaccine developer Jonas
41 Onset
42 Structural post
44 Hut
45 Colorful pond fish
47 Date bearers
48 Selfish child's word
49 Lofty poems
50 Jump
53 Old
54 Head movements
56 Pigeon's cry
57 "O Holy Night, the stars __ brightly…"
59 Front porch item

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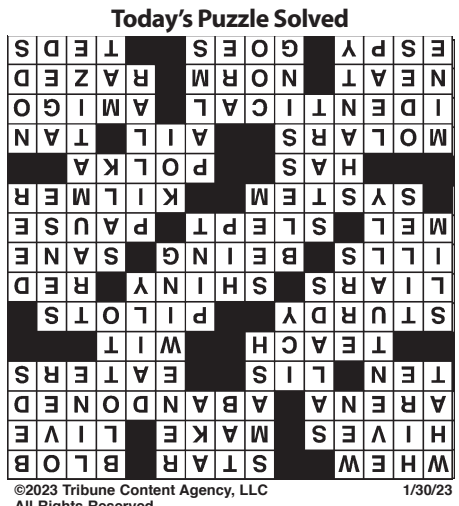

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# Step-children offer humiliation as their gift

AMY **DICKINSON** ASK AMY

**Dear Amy: My husband and I have been married for 10 years.**

**We each have two grown children from previous marriages.**

**My children love and accept my husband as family.**

**My husband's children have never accepted me.**

**I met their father years after their parents divorced, so I was in no way a cause of their break-up.**

**An example of their behavior toward me is when they visit for Christmas each year, they bring their father a Christmas gift and wish him a Merry Christmas, while they completely ignore me.**

**I am left sitting there with a feeling of disbelief.**

**I've spoken to my husband about my feelings, but it doesn't really help.**

**He says his family is dysfunctional.**

**What should I do?**

**— Simply Hurt**

**Dear Hurt:** Your husband's astute observation is that his family is dysfunctional.

I assume you're thinking: "That's right, Einstein."

But an accurate description is not a solution.

Your husband seems to be passively standing by while his children humiliate you — and in your own home.

You also seem to have lost your own voice.

His children obviously want to have a relationship with him, so he should convey to them that he won't tolerate this rudeness toward you. If he had done this at the outset of your relationship, they might have been retrained by now.

# Husband's unfaithful; now he's grounded forever

AMY **DICKINSON** ASK AMY

**Dear Amy: Almost 10 years ago my wife discovered that I had been cheating on her, emotionally and physically, and that I had a porn addiction I couldn't control. We separated for a year but eventually ended up back together.**

**Years of therapy and support groups helped me to become the man I really want to be. And accountability, both digital and in the real world, help my wife to see that I remain faithful and dedicated.**

**Alas, at the age of 40, I feel that I spent most of my 30s living like a grounded teenager.**

**I have freedom working for myself, but I'm not really allowed to use it.**

**All I really want to do is surf and spend time in the ocean, but my wife is convinced this will somehow lead to me cheating on her.**

**Despite the fact that she can see my location at all times, and has full access to all my devices and every inch of my life, I think she has some trauma that therapy didn't really heal.**

**Any anger I have will always be outweighed by a greater anger that she can generate.**

**I don't want to be ignorant of her needs but I'm slipping into deeper depression. I told myself I wouldn't live like this in my 40s.**

**My wife seems to have no intention of loosening her grip on my life. It is destroying my well-being. Is it wrong to put my foot down and take a bit of my life back? — Betrayer**

Dear Betrayer: You and your wife are both trapped by the breach in trust caused by your infidelity during your 20's.

But just how long is this jail sentence supposed to last?

After 10 years of therapy, transparency and fidelity, you've proven that you want to and are able to remain faithful and trustworthy.

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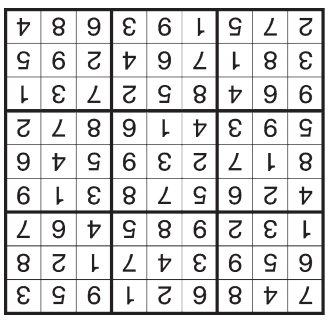

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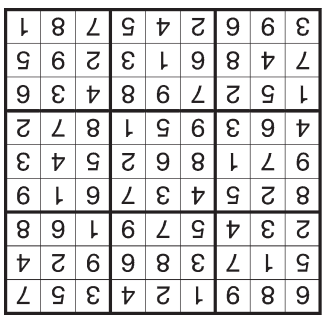

## ASTROLOGY

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** — Get your chores completed early in the day when energies are at a peak. You may be at your best participating in sports or outdoor activities where you can get some exercise. Make intelligent changes to your budget.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** — Knowledgeable friends can become valuable companions. Use your attraction to new information as an excuse to seek out relevant facts hidden from obvious view. Make wise changes to your personal financial policies.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** — Stand up for what is right and you will become an excellent role model. Demonstrate sticking to the high road and operating in full integrity. Whether you defend, or offer wise advice, your contribution is valued.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** — Nail down the details completely. Minor misunderstandings in a group setting could cause a heated exchange. Learn from any criticisms and acknowledge issues that exist between you and your loved ones.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** — Fix what's broken. Prioritize issues that come to your attention so you handle things in order of urgency and importance. This is a good weekend to focus on achieving your goals and work side by side with a loyal partner.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** — When you reflect upon the mystical and beautiful interconnection of all things, you realize you are a part of that whole too. Listen to a respected adviser, they may have an ingenious solution to a pressing dilemma.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)** — Find a way to work out a compromise. You do not need to be in business mode when someone offers to do you a favor. Open your mind and what you learn about communicating clearly could blow you away.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** — If you swim with the current, you are less likely to become a fish out of water. Consider embracing resonant ideas and approaches. Step up the pace as needed; most often the world is looking for results, not excuses.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** — Reality can offer the greatest rewards. Show off your proud creative efforts or entertain your friends with your good humor. A new relationship could grow quickly so now is the time to figure out exactly what you want and need.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** — Embrace every opportunity to outline your ideas. You can overcome minor setbacks by brainstorming solutions with others or trying something different. Make new friends who share your passions and interests.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)** — Take pride in participation and increase your engagement in activities in the world around you. Any activity that allows you to compete might satisfy certain needs and desires. Be polite and mindful of others.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)** — Group activities and community gatherings may offer both positives and negatives, but you still may need to show up. Put networking skills into action to widen your list of contacts and enhance your reputation, too.

## ASTROLOGY

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** — Don't overdo something just because you might want to show up someone else. That's an unhelpful motivation and going overboard won't help anyway. There is no reason to hide your talents. If you start new projects, be sure to fulfill them as promised.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** — A teaspoon of sugar can make medicine go down much more easily. Your job may require you to focus on hard facts or the bottom line, but you can do it gently. Run with your most innovative ideas.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** — If anxious thoughts is a problem, take a big deep breath and remind yourself that worry is not useful, while preparation is. Consider taking a break to regroup. Do what you can to achieve some measure of flexibility.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** — Play fair and avoid taking unnecessary risks. Check in with yourself to see if you are carrying a resentment. Your get-it-done attitude may make someone sit up and take notice but avoid becoming too aggressive.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** — You should be welcomed with open arms by your crew and could enjoy some major belly laughs.. To be considered a leader, you need to consider all perspectives, be able to float great ideas and have some understanding of human nature.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** — Minor annoyances shouldn't derail you unless you let them. Don't hold back when you see an opportunity to make changes that help you get ahead. Workaholics may be in their element but loved ones could feel neglected.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)** — Your confidence may be building. You should be able to put your smart ideas into action on the job without going over anyone's head. Have sympathy for people who are struggling with things you may not understand fully

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** — Before you enthusiastically begin a project, do the math and be sure you have the drive and ambition to see it all the way through to the end. You can look to a partner to provide powerful and practical insights.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** — Listen to inspiring messages. You may hear an insight that could trigger some new creativity. You might enjoy trying something you have never tried before; when you succeed you can feel more confident.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** — Keep your eye on the prize. Loved ones or partners may offer valuable insights but might also distract you from something essential. Your voice of reason could prevent someone from scattering their energies.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)** — There should still be a way to win even if you're not feeling confident. You may meet someone who encourages you to try harder and reach further. Follow someone else's lead and fulfill your promises and obligations to succeed.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)** — Get clear on your goals and set your intentions, then your subconscious mind can help by bringing helpful and meaningful messages during your dreams. Watch your expenditures, you may need to handle something unexpected.

# No. 1 Purdue tops Michigan 75-70

BY LARRY LAGE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

ANN ARBOR, Mich. — Zach Edey had 15 of his 19 points in the first half and Fletcher Loyer finished with 17 points to help No. 1 Purdue hold off Michigan 75-70 on Thursday night.

The Boilermakers (20-1, 9-1 Big Ten) had a 15-0 run to go ahead 41-28 lead in the first half after there were 10 lead changes and four ties, but they couldn't pull away.

The Wolverines (11-9, 5-4) were without standout freshman Jett Howard, who missed the game with an ankle injury, and hung around until the final seconds.

Joey Baker made a 3-pointer — off the glass — with 5.9 seconds left to pull Michigan within three points, but Purdue's Brandon Newman sealed the victory with two free throws.

The 7-foot-4 Edey, though, was too tough to stop early in the game.

With size and skills such as a hook shot, the junior center from Toronto scored Purdue's first seven points and finished the first half 7 of 12 from the field and 1 of 2 at the line.

Six Boilermakers scored in the first half, keeping the game close while Edey sat on the bench, to help them lead 41-35.

## COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

Several local athletes have been honored by the Ohio River Valley Conference.

Southwestern's Ashley Fulton and Shawe's Audrey Barron shared the award in girls basketball. Fulton scored 36 points and had eight rebounds, eight assists and six steals in two games while Barron had 36 points, 15 rebounds, seven assists and five steals in two games.

Switzerland County's Jacob Williams won the award in boys basketball after scoring 41 points with 1 rebound and 10 assists in two games.

Shawe's Matthew Vaughn was the honoree in boys swimming with strong performances in the 50-yard, 100-yard and 200-yard freestyles.

Switzerland County defeated Oldenburg Academy 54-17 in junior varsity girls basketball on Thursday.

Carlee Boggs and Addie Kelso scored 11 points each to lead the Pacers while Isabella Breeck and Kaitlynn Stucker had nine points each.

Switzerland closes out the season with a 15-6 record.

Madison junior varsity girls basketball won two quarters against Trinity Lutheran, 19-15 on Thursday.

Mylee McQueary had seven points and four rebounds to lead the Cubs while Bailey Owens and Addison Roark scored four points each.

Southwestern Middle School swimming will begin practices on Monday, Feb. 6.

Practices will take place Mondays through Fridays from 3-4:30 p.m. at the high school pool. Fifth grade students are eligible to participate on the middle school swim team. They will need a note from their parents to the elementary office stating that they are allowed to walk to the high school pool or be let off their bus at the high school each day for practice.

Middle school swim season runs from February until spring break. Most swim meets are home meets.

Team swimsuits will be ordered and are usually under $30. These are not required, but are recommended.

If your student would like to participate in middle school swimming, he/she will need to have a practice swimsuit, towel and goggles (recommended) for practice on that Monday.

For more information, contact Shelly Anderson Hamilton at sanderson@swjcs.us or call 812-866-1195.


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# Burrow, Bengals go for 4-0 vs. KC in rematch

BY ROB MAADDI
AP PRO FOOTBALL WRITER

The Bengals and Chiefs have become familiar foes.

When the teams face off Sunday in Kansas City to determine the AFC champion (**TV:** Live on CBS at 6:30 p.m.), it'll be their fourth meeting in 393 days and a rematch of last year's conference title game.

The No. 1 seed Chiefs (15-3) dropped all three games, including a 27-24 loss in Cincinnati on Dec. 4. That was the same score for the Bengals' overtime victory in Kansas City in this game last season.

The Bengals (14-4) are riding a 10-game winning streak after eliminating the Buffalo Bills in the divisional round.

Both teams are here because of their quarterbacks.

Sure, they have plenty of talented players on both sides of the ball. But these are two pass-happy squads who rely on their QBs to carry the offensive load with their arms.

All-Pro Patrick Mahomes led the NFL with 5,250 yards passing and 41 TDs, helping the Chiefs reach the AFC championship game for the fifth straight season.

Joe Burrow threw for 4,475 yards and 35 TDs and has led the Bengals to a 5-1 record in the playoffs over the past two seasons.

The Chiefs are seeking their third trip to the Super Bowl in four seasons and fifth overall.

The Bengals are aiming for their fourth appearance in the Super Bowl.

### WHEN BENGALS HAVE THE BALL

It's the Joe "Cool" show. With Burrow leading the way, the Bengals had the fifth-ranked passing offense in the league. Burrow has two talented wide receivers in Ja'Marr Chase and Tee Higgins. Chase had 87 catches for 1,046 yards and nine TDs. Higgins had 74 for 1,029 and seven scores. Tyler Boyd (58-762-5) and tight end Hayden Hurst (52-414-2) also are integral parts of the passing attack. So are running backs Joe Mixon and Samaje Perine, who combined for 98 receptions for 728 yards and six TDs.

The Bengals had the fourth-fewest yards rushing in the NFL, but Mixon and Perine can do their damage. Perine had 106 yards rushing against the Chiefs last month. Mixon ran for 105 in last week's win over Buffalo.

Cincinnati's depleted offensive line has a tough task trying to stop All-Pro defensive tackle Chris Jones and end Frank Clark. Jones had 15 ½ of Kansas City's 55 sacks. Clark had six and added another in a win over the Jaguars last week.

Chiefs defensive coordinator Steve Spagnuolo is aggressive and isn't afraid to blitz to bring more pressure. Rookie cornerback Jaylen Watson, who had a pick against Jacksonville, L'Jarius Sneed and Trent McDuffie have a difficult challenge against Cincy's wideouts.

Linebackers Nick Bolton, Willie Gay and safety Justin Reid are always around the ball.

The Chiefs had the 11th-ranked defense, eighth against the run and 18th against the pass.

### WHEN CHIEFS HAVE THE BALL

A high ankle sprain may slow Mahomes down, but the superstar has proven to be superhuman on the football field. Whether it's off-balance throws, no-look or sidearm passes, or using his legs to escape the pocket, Mahomes is the king of improvising. He lost All-Pro wideout Tyreek Hill to an offseason trade but didn't miss a beat. All-Pro tight end Travis Kelce had 110 catches in the regular season and 14 more vs. the Jaguars. He's the go-to guy for Mahomes anytime he needs a first down or big play.

JuJu Smith-Schuster stepped into the No. 1 wide receiver role and caught 78 balls for 933 yards. Marquez Valdes-Scantling had 42 for 687. Running back Jerick McKinnon had 56 catches.

Rookie seventh-round pick Isiah Pacheco led the Chiefs with 830 yards and he had 95 against Jacksonville. Kansas City was 20th in rushing, averaging 115.9 yards per game.

Bengals defensive coordinator Lou Anarumo came up with an excellent game plan to shut down Josh Allen and the Bills in the divisional round. He only blitzed seven times, but used it creatively and disguised it to confuse Allen.

The Bengals only had 30 sacks, 14 ½ of those coming from Trey Hendrickson and Sam Hubbard. Linebackers Logan Wilson and Germaine Pratt and safeties Vonn Bell and Jessie Bates are Cincinnati's top tacklers.

Cornerbacks Mike Hilton, Eli Apple and Cam Taylor-Britt should expect plenty of action with Mahomes throwing their way.

Nobody can stop Kelce but the Bengals have to figure out a way to limit his production.

### SPECIAL TEAMS

Bengals kicker Evan McPherson was clutch in the playoffs as a rookie last season. He missed four extra points this season, including two in the last four games. He's made 16 of his past 17 field goals. McPherson has a strong leg. He's 14 for 16 from beyond 50 yards in his career, including all five in 2022.

Cincinnati is bottom third in punting but has improved since Drue Chrisman replaced Kevin Huber. Chrisman has dropped three of his five punts in the playoffs inside the 20.

The Bengals' return teams are middle of the pack.

Chiefs kicker Harrison Butker battled injuries and had his least accurate season, converting only 75% of his field goals. But he made both tries from 50 yards last week.

Punter Tommy Townsend had an All-Pro season with a net of 45.6 yards.

The Chiefs' return teams were both in the top seven.

### COACHING

Chiefs coach Andy Reid is a future Hall of Famer. He's tied with Tom Landry for second place with 20 career playoff wins. Only Bill Belichick (31) has more. This is Reid's 10th conference championship game, five with the Eagles and five with the Chiefs. He's 3-6.

Bengals coach Zac Taylor is one of the league's bright, young minds. Only 39, Taylor has rebounded from winning six games combined his first two seasons to guide the Bengals to consecutive AFC championship games.

### INTANGIBLES

It's revenge time for Mahomes and the Chiefs, who only measure success by winning the Super Bowl. They've got the home-field advantage at raucous Arrowhead Stadium.

The Bengals felt disrespected because the league sold 50,000 tickets for a potential neutral-site Bills-Chiefs game this week that isn't happening. They'll play that card for as long as they're playing this season.

## Injured Cappa, Williams miss practice again

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Alex Cappa and Jonah Williams didn't practice Thursday, making it more likely the Bengals will again start three backup offensive linemen in Sunday's AFC championship game against the Chiefs.

Right guard Cappa (ankle) and left tackle Williams (dislocated kneecap) haven't practiced at all this week.

Max Scharping, a free agent signed before the season, started his second game at right guard in Cincinnati's 27-10 win over Buffalo in the divisional round last week, and Jackson Carman, a converted guard, played in place of Williams.

Hakeem Adeniji, a sixth-round pick in 2020, started his third game in place of right tackle La'el Collins, who suffered a season-ending knee injury in a game Dec. 24.

The Bengals thrived behind the makeshift line, with quarterback Joe Burrow passing for 242 yards and two touchdowns while being sacked just once. Joe Mixon rushed for 105 yards and a TD.

Starting tight end Hayden Hurst (calf) and linebacker Joe Bachie (foot) were reported as limited participants in Thursday's practice.

## Colts fan starts petition to oppose Saturday

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Jeff Saturday was a fan favorite when he played for the Indianapolis Colts.

Maybe not so much these days.

After going 1-7 as the interim coach and being brought in for a second interview to keep the job next fall, one Colts fans started an online petition to stop Saturday's candidacy. It had received nearly 3,000 signatures by Thursday night.

"We as Colts fans will always love the memories of the SB XLI team; we love the former players and the people they've become, but we don't want Jeff Saturday as the head coach of this team going forward," the petition read. "Please hire someone with experience and save your fan base from revolting and losing interest."

Saturday left his job as n ESPN studio analyst in early November to replace the fired Frank Reich. Team owner Jim Irsay brought back Saturday, Peyton Manning's longtime center and a member of the Colts Ring of Honor, even though Saturday had no coaching experience at the college or pro level.


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**MEETING DATE:**
FEB. 13, 2023, at 6:30 PM
**MEETING PLACE:** Madison City Hall-Council Chambers

A. Roll Call
B. Approval of minutes
C. Renewals
• Harold Perry, Jr. – Conditional Use permit for a mobile home.
Location: 212 Sixth St Zoned: Hillside (HS)
One-Year Renewal
• Miller Automotive – Conditional Use Permit for Retail Motor Vehicle Sales and Automotive Repair.
Location: 1215 Clifty Dr
Zoned: Light Manufacturing (M-1)
One-Year Renewal
• Mike & Melissa Hess – Conditional Use permit for a mobile home.
Location: 318 W Fifth St
Zoned: Central Business District (CBD)
One-Year Renewal
• Stephen & Dawn Whalen – Conditional Use Permit for a single-family short-term rental/Airbnb. Maximum of four (4) guests and two (2) cars.
Location: 715 E Main St
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
One-Year Renewal
D. Tabled applications
• **BZCU-22-1:** Oystercatcher LLC – Conditional Use Permit for a vacation home used as a short-term rental when unit is not owner-occupied.
Location: 312 Poplar St
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
E. New applications
• **BZCU-23-1:** Catherine Evans – Conditional Use Permit for a guest home/short-term rental.
Location: 1328 W Second St
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• **BZCU-23-2:** Catherine Evans – Conditional Use Permit for an event space and partial short-term rental.
Location: 1229 W Main St
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• **BZCU-23-3:** Kerri Tucker – Conditional Use Permit for an in-home daycare.
Location: 2713 Basswood Dr
Zoned: Medium Density Residential (R-8)
• **BZVU-23-1:** Daryl Detmer – Variance of Use to allow expansion of business from adjoining property on the east for manufacturing of custom countertops.
Location: 140 Clifty Dr Zoned: General Business (GB)
• **BZVD-23-1:** Mark Viterna – Variance from Development Standards for setbacks. Applicant desires to renovate the home and potentially add a second story addition to the rear portion of the home. Footprint will not change, however, the structure currently does not meet the three (3) foot setbacks required by Zoning Ordinance. Applicant requests setbacks of sic (6) inches on the north and south property lines to make the structure legally conforming.
Location: 526 Walnut St
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• **BZCU-23-8:** Crystal Pavey – Conditional Use Permit for a proposed gas station with convenience store and restaurant with drive thru.
Location: 3910 N Michigan Rd
Zoned: Light Manufacturing (M-1)
F. New/old business
• Landmark Apostolic Bible Church, Inc. – Conditional Use permit for a church.
Location: 3100 Landmark Ln
Zoned: High Density Residential (R-32)
One-Year Renewal
• Shawn Sands – Conditional Use permit for a wrestling facility.
Location: 2520 Lanier Dr, Suite C Zoned: Heavy Manufacturing (M-2)
One-Year Renewal
• Discussion of changing BZA meeting start time
G. Motion to adjourn
H. Next meeting: Monday, March 13, 2023
**For the purpose of hearing those for or against said applications, a public hearing will be held on Monday, February 13, 2023, at 6:30 PM in City Hall, 101 W. Main Street Madison, IN 47250.**
BY ORDER OF THE MADISON CITY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
Joe Patterson, Associate Planner
*As per Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for affective communication, should contact the Madison City Plan Commission at 812-265-8324 as soon as possible but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled meeting.*
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**LEGAL NOTICE**
**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED CUMULATIVE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT FUND**

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Town of Hanover, Jefferson County, Indiana, that the Hanover Town Council will consider at Hanover Community Center located at 200 Spruce Lane at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, February 21, 2023, the reestablishment of a Cumulative Capital Development Fund under the provisions of Indiana Code 6-1.1-41 for the purposes as follows:

***"For all uses as set out in IC 36-9-15.5."***

The tax will be levied on all taxable real and personal property within the taxing district and
will not exceed $0.05 per $100 of assessed valuation. The proposed fund will be levied beginning with taxes due and payable in the year 2023. Taxpayers appearing at such hearing shall have the right to be heard thereon. The proposed tax rate for the Cumulative Capital Development Fund is subject to certification by the Department of Local Government Finance.
Within 30 days after the date of the adoption of the cumulative capital development fund by the Hanover Town Council, the Town of Hanover will publish a Notice of Adoption.
Upon publication of the Notice of Adoption, 50 or more taxpayers in the taxing district may file a petition with the County Auditor not later than noon 30 days after the publication of the Notice of Adoption setting forth their objections to the proposed fund.
Dated this 17th day of January, 2023.

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**City of Madison**
**Plan Commission**
**Legal Notice**

**MEETING DATE:**
FEB. 13, 2023, at 5:30 PM
**MEETING PLACE:** Madison City Hall, 101 W. Main Street Madison, IN 47250

A. Roll Call
B. Approval of minutes
C. New applications
• **PCGB-23-1**: Barr Properties – Application for General Business Setbacks. Applicant requests setbacks of ten (10) feet on the north, one hundred five (105) feet on the east, fifty (50) feet on the south, and twenty-five (25) feet on the west property lines to place a storage building in order to support business operations on the adjoining property to the south.
Location: 2900 Clifty Dr
Zoned: General Business (GB)
• **PCAP-23-1:** Barr Properties – Application for Accessible Parking Plan. Applicant plans to place a storage building in order to support business operations on the adjoining property to the south and utilize the existing parking lot that consists of twenty (20) total parking spaces with one (1) ADA Accessible parking space as the storage building will be for business/employee use only and not be open to the general public.
Location: 2900 Clifty Dr
Zoned: General Business (GB)
• **PCAP-23-2:** Crystal Pavey – Application for Accessible Parking Plan. Applicant proposes placing a gas station with convenience store and restaurant with drive-thru on the property. Parking areas consist of a total of thirty-two (32) total parking spaces with two (2) ADA Accessible parking spaces.
Location: 3910 N Michigan Rd
Zoned: Light Manufacturing (M-1)
D. Adjournment
E. Next Meeting: Monday, March 13, 2023 at 5:30 PM
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| TAX RATES CHARGED FOR YEAR 2022 PAYABLE IN THE YEAR 2023 | TOWNSHIPS | | | | | | | | | | CORPORATIONS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Graham | Hanover | Lancaster | Madison | Milton | Monroe | Republcn | Saluda | Shelby | Smyrna | Brooksburg | Dupont | Hanover | Madison |
| County General | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 | 0.5983 |
| Health | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 | 0.0083 |
| Property Reassessment (2015) | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 | 0.0085 |
| Cumulative Bridge | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 | 0.0600 |
| Cum Capital Development | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 | 0.0226 |
| Cumulative Courthouse | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 | 0.0120 |
| Election | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 | 0.0068 |
| Cemetary Board | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 | 0.0014 |
| Cumulative Jail | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 | 0.0153 |
| **TOTAL COUNTY** | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 | 0.7332 |
| Township General | 0.0417 | 0.0274 | 0.0515 | 0.0109 | 0.0207 | 0.0779 | 0.0387 | 0.0466 | 0.0511 | 0.0279 | 0.0207 | 0.0515 | 0.0274 | 0.0109 |
| Township Assistance | 0.0070 | 0.0165 | 0.0104 | 0.0153 | 0.0148 | 0.0000 | 0.0134 | 0.0120 | 0.0064 | 0.0055 | 0.0148 | 0.0104 | 0.0165 | 0.0153 |
| Fire Protection | 0.0198 | 0.0359 | 0.0254 | 0.0509 | 0.0329 | 0.0275 | 0.0296 | 0.0350 | 0.0264 | 0.0399 | | | | |
| Cum Fire (Twp) | | | | | | | 0.0328 | | | 0.0146 | | | | |
| Park & Rec | | | | | | | | 0.0120 | | | | | | |
| **TOTAL TOWNSHIP** | 0.0685 | 0.0798 | 0.0873 | 0.0771 | 0.0684 | 0.1054 | 0.1145 | 0.1056 | 0.0839 | 0.0879 | 0.0355 | 0.0619 | 0.0439 | 0.0262 |
| Debt Service | 0.3712 | 0.1908 | 0.3712 | 0.3712 | 0.3712 | 0.3712 | 0.1908 | 0.1908 | 0.3712 | 0.1908 | 0.3712 | 0.3712 | 0.1908 | 0.3712 |
| Pension Debt | | 0.0000 | | | | | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | | 0.0000 | | | 0.0000 | |
| Education | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 |
| Operations | 0.6020 | 0.9922 | 0.6020 | 0.6020 | 0.6020 | 0.6020 | 0.9922 | 0.9922 | 0.6020 | 0.9922 | 0.6020 | 0.6020 | 0.9922 | 0.6020 |
| **TOTAL SCHOOL** | 0.9732 | 1.1830 | 0.9732 | 0.9732 | 0.9732 | 0.9732 | 1.1830 | 1.1830 | 0.9732 | 1.1830 | 0.9732 | 0.9732 | 1.1830 | 0.9732 |
| Library | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 |
| **TOTAL LIBRARY** | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 | 0.1049 |
| Corporation General | | | | | | | | | | | 0.4600 | 0.2777 | 0.3363 | 1.0871 |
| Park & Recreation | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.0581 | 0.0846 |
| Cum Capital Development | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.0371 | 0.0334 |
| Lease Rental Payment | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.0326 |
| Aviation | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0.0273 |
| **TOTAL CORPORATION** | | | | | | | | | | | 0.4600 | 0.2777 | 0.4315 | 1.2650 |
| **Solid Waste District** | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 | 0.0122 |
| **Stucker Fork Consv 0.0075** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **TOTAL TAX RATE** | **1.8920** | **2.1131** | **1.9108** | **1.9006** | **1.8919** | **1.9289** | **2.1478** | **2.1389** | **1.9074** | **2.1212** | **2.3190** | **2.1631** | **2.5087** | **3.1147** |

State of Indiana, Jefferson County: I, Heather Huff, Auditor of Jefferson County, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of all tax levies for the taxes collectible in the year 2023.

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